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LAWYER SAYS MUNOZ DIDN'T PRESENT ANY FACTS

Albizu's Pardon Withdrawal Hit

By NAT CARNES
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A packed audience heard the arguments presented by Lynn and Commonwealth Justice Department attorneys Irene Curbelo and J. F. Rodriguez Rivera.

Two district attorneys, Alcides Oquendo Maldonado and Albizu was returned to jail. In November, 1955, he was taken to Presbyterian Hospital where he is now being kept under strict police surveillance.

Lynn since that time has tried three times to free Albizu. The first writ was submitted in U. S. District Court here in 1955; the second in Superior Court, 1961; and the current writ was submitted in September 1962.

"We'll go to the U. S. Supreme Court this time if necessary," Lynn said after the session had been recessed.

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The Evening Star
New York Herald Tribune
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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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The following data is being furnished to you on the above-captioned subject, inasmuch as he may represent a danger to the President of the United States.

I. NAME AND ALIAS

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, also known as Pedro Albizu.

II. DESCRIPTIVE DATA

The subject is confined at the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico for his past Nationalist activities and he remains under full-time guard by the Police of Puerto Rico.

Race	Negro
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	September 20, 1891
Place of Birth	Ponce, Puerto Rico
Height	5'8"
Weight	140 pounds (approximately)
Build	Medium
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Scars	Has an irregular cut scar and surgical scar center forehead. Surgical scar third joint outer right ring finger.
Characteristics	Partially paralyzed and unable to speak.

III. PARTY AFFILIATION AND POSITION IN PARTY

The subject is the titular head of the **NATIONALIST PARTY OF PUERTO RICO (NPPR)**.

The NPPR has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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IV. SUCCINCT SUMMARY

The subject has been involved in armed assault against the established Government of Puerto Rico and was the motivating force behind the NPPR uprising of October 30, 1950. He has continuously advocated the use of violence to achieve Puerto Rican independence. The subject also reportedly suffers from a mental illness which has been diagnosed as paranoia with a persecution complex.

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On 6/10/64, [REDACTED] Source of Information, advised that during the late afternoon of 6/9/64, prior to the departure of JOSE A. OTERO from NYC to Puerto Rico, a meeting took place at the residence of LAURA MENESES DE ALBIZU and JUAN JUARBE JUARBE, 333 East 46th Street, New York City. In addition to the latter two, also present were (X) (u)

LYDIA COLLAZO
JOSE OTERO
RUTH REYNOLDS
LUIS A. CABAN (X) (u)

RUTH REYNOLDS reported that CONRAD LYNN, NY attorney, who is seeking the release of PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS by writ of habeas corpus, believes that the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico will release ALBIZU (X) (u)

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If ALBIZU is not released, LYNN intends to appeal the case to the Supreme Court of the US. LYNN is anxious to prove that the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico is not the ultimate judicial tribunal in cases originating in Puerto Rico courts. LYNN would like to show that, contrary to the Commonwealth Government's claim, the US Supreme Court has the final say in matters of this nature. This tactic would also enable LYNN to show the authority that the US Government exercises over [REDACTED] Puerto Rican affairs. (S) (u)

b7c, b7d [REDACTED] advised that a discussion was held regarding the arrangements for ALBIZU's care and treatment if he is released. Agreement was reached that it would be best for ALBIZU to be placed in a private clinic which could administer to ALBIZU the same care he is presently receiving. It was felt that such an arrangement would cost at least \$1,000, monthly. (S) (u)

OTERO disclosed that during his recent trip to Chicago, the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) - Chicago Junta promised to contribute \$75 a month toward the care of ALBIZU. (S) (u)

LYDIA COLLAZO stated that by conducting monthly social events, the NY Junta could probably send \$100 a month to Puerto Rico for this purpose. (S) (u)

OTERO was unable to estimate the amount the National Board would be able to contribute each month until OTERO canvassed logical contributors. JUAN JUARBE JUARBE suggested that a number of persons in Puerto Rico, who are supporters of other political parties, would be willing to contribute to ALBIZU's care, merely to get the publicity. JUARBE singled out LUIS A. FERRE as an individual who personally admires ALBIZU and would be a willing contributor. RUTH REYNOLDS stated that he (S) (u)

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as a group of "American" friends who would jointly contribute \$100 a month. MENESES stated that a list of these various sources of funds should be drawn up and if additional money was needed, she should be contacted from Puerto Rico by telephone. She stated that she would make up whatever amount was needed (C)(u)

The possibility of housing ALBIZU on a farm ALBIZU supposedly owns in Puerto Rico was brought up by OTERO, but it was quickly rejected by JUARBE who stated that putting ALBIZU in a private house would make him too available to his many admirers and ALBIZU was not physically able to receive daily visitors. JUARBE stated that the final decision in this regard must be left to the doctors who will care for ALBIZU (C)(u)

A discussion as to where ALBIZU was to be buried when he died took place. MENESES stated she had already made arrangements for a burial plot in San Juan near the body of JOSE DE DIEGO. OTERO pointed out that ALBIZU had already expressed a desire to be buried in Ponce, Puerto Rico. MENESES reminded OTERO that ALBIZU was her husband and as his wife her wishes should not be denied. LYDIA COLLAZO interjected that ALBIZU no longer belonged to mainly his wife but to the NPPR and, to a greater degree, to the people of Puerto Rico. In reply, MENESES expressed annoyance at the NPPR, which she stated had never given her anything. She pointed out that sometime in the past an unnamed Nationalist had come to her for help for the NPPR and she had given him \$400 she had saved as an emergency fund. She stated she was still waiting for the repayment of this money. MENESES reiterated that she would do as she wished with ALBIZU's body, after his death (C)(u)

██████ advised that at no time during this discussion was any mention made that the NPPR should engage in an act of violence upon ALBIZU's death. ██████ pointed out that this would indicate that the Party had no pre-arranged (C)(u)

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plan in this connection; however, what individual Nationalists might do on the occasion of ALBIZU's death was unpredictable (c)

After leaving MENESES and JUARBE, OTERO expressed annoyance at these individuals. He stated that in the past, he had received orders from them while they were in Mexico and Havana, and since their arrival in NYC, but he did not want to hear from them again regarding the operation of the NPPR (u)

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LYDIA COLLAZO expressed similar annoyance to [redacted] during a later private conversation (after OTERO's departure for Puerto Rico). She stated that MENESES' insistence on having her way because ALBIZU was her husband was ludicrous in light of the fact that MENESES has lived with JUARBE for so long. It was COLLAZO's opinion that if MENESES truly loved her husband, she could figure out some way even through subterfuge to visit him. COLLAZO contended that MENESES and JUARBE were no longer interested in the NPPR or ALBIZU CAMPOS (u)

[redacted] advised that OTERO boarded a Pan American Airways flight to Puerto Rico which departed the John F. Kennedy Airport at 6:45 p.m., 6/9/64. (u)

The above information will be furnished San Juan and Chicago by appropriate dissemination memorandum.

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Subject is considered a key figure of the SJO because of his position as titular leader of the NPPR.

Copies of this report are being furnished to Chicago, New York and WFO for information.

Results of the pending Puerto Rico Supreme Court action concerning the subject, as set out in this report, will be furnished to the Bureau by LHM.

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 7. ☐ Subject previously interviewed (dates) _____.
 - ☒ Subject was not reinterviewed because (state reason)
 of his incarceration and poor health.
 8. ☐ This case no longer meets the Security Index criteria and a letter has been directed to the Bureau recommending cancellation of the Security Index card.
 9. ☒ This case has been re-evaluated in the light of the Security Index criteria and it continues to fall within such criteria because (state reason)
 subject continues to be considered the supreme leader of the NPPR.
 10. ☒ Subject's SI card ☒ is ☐ is not tabbed Detcom.
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Subject is not tabbed pro-Cuban and his activities do not warrant such tabbing.

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Title: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

Character: INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

Synopsis:

Subject continues to be confined at the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico and is under full-time guard by the POPR. Subject's health has not materially changed during the past six months. He is still revered as supreme leader of the NPPR. On 5/12/64 the Puerto Rico Supreme Court set aside a previous San Juan Superior Court denial of a habeas corpus writ filed in subject's behalf in 1962. On 5/25/64 Puerto Rico Supreme Court heard oral arguments concerning the revoking of subject's parole by Governor MUNOZ MARIN 3/6/54. Court gave Puerto Rico Justice Department 10 days in which to file a brief and will thereafter give subject's attorneys 10 days in which to file a rebuttal brief.

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I. STATUS OF INCARCERATION

On June 4, 1964 [REDACTED], Office of Intelligence, Police of Puerto Rico (OI,POPR) advised that the subject continues to be confined to the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico under 24-hour guard by personnel of the OI,POPR. Two agents of the OI,POPR are stationed outside the hospital room of ALBIZU to prevent his escape and to prevent visits by unauthorized persons. He said any person desiring to visit ALBIZU must obtain permission from the Department of Justice of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico. b7C

II. STATUS OF HEALTH

On June 4, 1964 [REDACTED], above, advised that the subject's health has not changed materially during the past six months. b7C

III. NATIONALIST PARTY OF PUERTO RICO
(NPPR) LEADERSHIP STATUS

The NPPR has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

(On June 1, 1964 SJ T-1 advised [REDACTED] that subject, PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, in spite of his incarceration and paralysis, is still considered the supreme leader of the NPPR. He said ALBIZU is revered by members of all pro-independence groups in Puerto Rico and is considered a virtual patron saint of the independence movement. (S) u

IV. COURT ACTION IN EFFORT
TO FREE ALBIZU

On February 11, 1964, the Airport Detail of the OI,POPR, advised that New York Attorney CONRAD J. LYNN and his wife YOLANDA arrived at the San Juan International Airport from New York, the morning of February 11, 1964, and that RUTH REYNOLDS, also of New York, arrived at San Juan International Airport at 10:30 P. M., the same date.

As announced in San Juan press, February 12, 1964, the purpose of the visit of LYNN and REYNOLDS to San Juan

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was to attend a Puerto Rico Supreme Court hearing, February 12, 1964, of an appeal concerning Writ of Habeas Corpus filed in the subject's behalf. This writ was originally filed in San Juan Superior Court on September 18, 1962, by Attorney Lynn, above, and was prepared in the name of Ruth Reynolds, as a friend of PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. The San Juan Superior Court denied the writ in September, 1962, and an appeal was later filed by Attorney LYNN.

RUTH REYNOLDS was convicted in Puerto Rico on N.Y. September 7, 1951, of having violated the Commonwealth Subversive Activities Law in that she took an oath to support the NPPR, which oath was administered by PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS to persons attending a General Assembly of the NPPR held December 18, 1949, at Arecibo, Puerto Rico. In the latter part of 1954 the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Supreme Court reversed the conviction.

On numerous occasions during 1960 and 1961 SJ T-2 advised that RUTH REYNOLDS lent her support to and helped organize public commemorations sponsored by the NPPR in New York City during those years.

The February 13, 1964 edition of "El Mundo," a San Juan Spanish language daily newspaper, reported that the Puerto Rico Supreme Court on February 12, 1964, conducted the above-mentioned hearing and will render its decision at an unspecified future date. Attorney CONRAD J. LYNN presented arguments before the court during the above hearing in favor of subject, PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS.

The Commonwealth of Puerto Rico was represented at the hearing by Attorney IRENE CURBELO of the Office of the Commonwealth Attorney General.

On February 12, 1964 SJ T-3 reported that the above Puerto Rico Supreme Court hearing held on that date was attended by most leaders of various pro-independence groups in Puerto Rico. There were no demonstrations by these individuals either inside the courtroom or outside the building. Those in attendance were very favorably impressed with the strong presentation of the case for ALBIZU and were optimistic

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over the possibility that the court will eventually free ALBIZU. Some expressed concern, however, over the fact that the court had not set a date for its decision, their feeling being that such a decision could be delayed indefinitely.

The May 12, 1964 edition of the "San Juan Star," an English language newspaper published at San Juan, Puerto Rico, contained an article datelined May 11, 1964 at Washington, D. C., which reads in part as follows:

"The clerk of the Supreme Court has returned as improperly submitted what is reported to be an appeal to order the Commonwealth Supreme Court to decide a case seeking freedom for nationalist leader PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS.

"The two-page request, drawn up on ALBIZU's behalf by RUTH REYNOLDS, identified as 'next friend' to the ailing insular political figure, alleged in effect he was being denied speedy disposition of his case.

"The Commonwealth Supreme Court heard arguments on February 12 of this year.

"The papers were returned to CONRAD J. LYNN of 401 Broadway, New York, whose name appeared on the letterhead, but who was not otherwise identified.

"The clerk cited the rules of the U. S. high court requiring a filing fee of \$100 or submission of a pauper's affidavit before this and other formal requirements can be waived. Such a statement was not included on CAMPO's behalf. The appeal, thus, has no standing before the court, was not accepted for filing.

"The clerk also pointed out Rule 31, which requires that an application for a writ of mandamus must demonstrate why relief is not available in another court."

The May 14, 1964 edition of "El Mundo" contained an article stating in part as follows:

"The Supreme Court of Puerto Rico has annulled the decision

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handed down by the San Juan Superior Court on October 26, 1962 in the habeas corpus case presented by RUTH REYNOLDS in the name of Dr. PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, and has set May 25, 1964 as the date the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico will hear the case 'on its merits.' At this hearing the revocation of the pardon granted by Governor MUNOZ to ALBIZU, will be discussed."

The May 26, 1964 edition of the "San Juan Star" contained an article which summarizes the hearing held by the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico on May 25, 1964. The article reads as follows:

"CONRAD J. LYNN, a New York City defense attorney, charged yesterday that Gov. MUNOZ did not produce enough evidence to revoke the pardon of Nationalist leader PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS in 1954.

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"Two district attorneys, ALCIDES OQUEJENDO MALDONADO and MANUEL J. VERA MERCADO, assisted in the examination of one witness, FRANCISCO CORTES RUIZ, a former Nationalist.

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"10 Days

"Supreme Court Chief Justice LUIS NEGRON FERNANDEZ gave the Justice Department 10 days to answer LYNN's allegations concerning MUNOZ' procedure and granted LYNN ten days to prepare a rebuttal brief.

"The Supreme Court agreed to hear the writ of habeas corpus case when on May 12 the High Court set aside an opinion by the San Juan Superior Court upholding the Governor's parole revocation order.

"During a summation by the prosecution yesterday, Curbelo said 'these are the facts that justify the act of the government:

"'After the granting of a September 30, 1953 pardon, PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS moved in the headquarters of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico in old San Juan.

"Became Leader

"' This meant he again became a leader of a separatist movement pledged to separate Puerto Rico from the United States by force and violence.'"

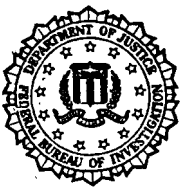
V. MISCELLANEOUS

On November 25, 1963 SJ T-1 advised that the subject's wife, LAURA MENESES de ALBIZU, who is now a Cuban citizen and is a member of the Cuban United Nations delegation in New York, has expressed her desire that a small farm owned by ALBIZU in Puerto Rico be sold. She stated that the money received for the farm should be set aside for the funeral of ALBIZU. She further indicated that she desired that ALBIZU be buried immediately after death and that his body not be turned over to any leader of any pro-independence group for any purpose whatever.

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On 6/16/64, ~~b2 b7D~~ made available the following conversation which took place before noon on that day between LYDIA COLLAZO, Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) Delegate in the United States and CONRAD LYNN, New York City attorney, who is seeking to have the subject released from prison on a writ of habeas corpus. (S)(u)

CONRAD LYNN stated that the lawyers for the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico had requested extra time to file their brief in the case regarding the subject. They had been granted until June 15, 1964, and LYNN expected a copy of their brief within a matter of days. (S)(u)

LYDIA COLLAZO requested a clarification of the United States Supreme Court's order of 5/20/63. LYNN explained that the U.S. Supreme Court had, on that date, published a formal ruling to the effect that the U.S. Supreme Court would henceforth consider the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico in the same light as the highest court of any state; that the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico was subject to the same rules and principles as in highest state court; that this had the effect of raising the status of the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico in one way, but it also knocked down any question of Puerto Rico's sovereignty, because in a Free Associated State, the highest court is not subordinate to any other court. According to LYNN, the U.S. Supreme Court order of 5/20/63, was never published in Puerto Rico because it would have exposed the fact that the Supreme Court of the U.S. did not regard Puerto Rico as sovereign and independent. (S)(u)

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CONRAD continued that ~~CARLOS CARRERA BENITEZ~~, one of subject's attorneys, could not understand why the Puerto Rican judges had never told him about the U.S. Supreme Court order. It had been necessary for LYNN to send CARRERA BENITEZ a copy of the U.S. Supreme Court order so he could show it to the judges and inquire from them on why he (CARRERA) had not been told about it. (S)

LYNN stated that any case the Puerto Rican Supreme Court decides upon, according to the prescribed rules that pertain to U.S. State Courts, could be taken to the U.S. Supreme Court. LYNN continued "that's why they're (Commonwealth government lawyers) so sick (i.e. upset)". (S)

(u) LYNN stated that after 6/15/64, the date until which the government lawyers had to file their brief, LYNN would have 10 days in which to file his brief, but he was going to file his as soon as possible as not to give the government any more time. LYNN concluded that the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico would either release the subject or LYNN would appeal the case to the United States Supreme Court. LYNN noted that the U.S. Supreme Court was not in session during the summer so if he appealed, the case could not be heard before that court until late September. (S)

LYNN reminded COLLAZO that if the case went to the Supreme Court a great deal of money would have to be raised in order to have the necessary 40 copies of LYNN's appeal printed. (S)

LYNN and COLLAZO agreed that the U.S. government did not want the case brought before the U.S. Supreme Court because they (the government) would be sure to lose. (S)

Any further developments relating to this matter will be immediately furnished the Bureau and interested offices.

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Date: July 14, 1964

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: Director, FBI (105-11898) (RM)
FROM: SAC, San Juan (3-1)
SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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Re report of SA RAYMER P. PETERS, JR., 6/15/64 at San Juan.

On July 10, 1964 Mr. IGNACIO RIVERA, General Secretary, Supreme Court of Puerto Rico, San Juan, advised that in the case of PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, both the Commonwealth Government and PEDRO ALBIZU's Attorney CONRAD J. LYNN of New York have rested their cases. The Commonwealth Government filed its brief June 15, 1964. Attorney LYNN did not file a rebuttal brief, but rested his case on arguments presented by him before the Puerto Rican Supreme Court May 25, 1964.

Mr. RIVERA said the Puerto Rico Supreme Court has not set a date for a decision in this matter. The court recessed on June 30, 1964 until September 1, 1964, and Mr. RIVERA said that as of this time it appears that no action on the matter will be taken by the court prior to September 1, 1964.

The above information is being incorporated in the weekly intelligence summary of July 15, 1964.

Any development in this matter will be promptly reported to the Bureau and interested offices.

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1 - New York (100-47403) (RM)
1 - San Juan
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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 8/27/64

Pedro Albizu Campos titular head of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) confined by Puerto Rican authorities since 1954 for activities in 1950 NPPR rebellion. Hearing now pending in Puerto Rico Supreme Court on habeas corpus for release of Campos and is scheduled to begin when the Court reconvenes 9/1/64. Ruth Reynolds and Ruth Miller are Puerto Rican nationalists from New York City. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] San Juan following. Bufiles being checked regarding Seymour Eichel. Dissemination being made to Department, State, [REDACTED] Secret Service, Interior and military agencies.

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(SC) 105-11898

Date: August 28, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Haack
1 - Mr. Pettit
1 - Mr. Floyd

Subject was convicted for his activities in the 1950 Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) rebellion and was granted a pardon in 1953. On March 5, 1954, his pardon was revoked and he has been incarcerated since that time. He is the titular head of the NPPR.

A hearing before the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico is scheduled on a habeas corpus proceeding for release of the subject. The hearing will reportedly be held after the Court reconvenes September 1, 1964. Prior information concerning Campos has been previously furnished your office.

Information has been received that members of the NPPR, including two individuals from New York City, have been picketing the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico since August 24, 1964, in an effort to force the Court to expedite the above habeas corpus hearing. The picketing will reportedly end on August 28, 1964.

1 - Director

Attention:

1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General

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- 1 - Director, Division of Security
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- 1 - Chief, U. S. Secret Service
- 1 - Director of Naval Intelligence
- 1 - Office of Special Investigations
Air Force

Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

- 1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army

Attention: Director of Security

NOTE:

Subject has been confined under guard for many years at the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico. He is almost completely paralyzed and has difficulty in communicating with others. Ruth Reynolds and Ruth Miller are Puerto Rican nationalists from New York City [REDACTED]

b7C [REDACTED] Seymour Eichel [REDACTED] Bureau files are being checked regarding Eichel.

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Date:

10/30/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-11898)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-47403)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

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On 10/30/64, [REDACTED] advised that CONRAD LYNN, subject's attorney, had contacted ROSA COLLAZO and advised her to furnish the following press release to local interested newspapers.

"The motion to compel the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico to make a decision in the case of ALBIZU CAMPOS was filed today in the United States Supreme Court."

The above for information.

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- 1 - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - Mr. D. J. Brennan
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- 1 - Mr. Pettit
- 1 - Mr. Wagoner

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BY LIAISON

(NI) 100-96668

Date: November 2, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject:

INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALISTS - CUBA

b7C On January 9, 1964, our Liaison Agent, Mr. Orrin H. Bartlett, was contacted by [REDACTED], Office of International Organizations, Department of State, with reference to our memorandum dated November 27, 1963, at San Juan, Puerto Rico captioned "Pedro Albizu Campos, Internal Security-Puerto Rican Nationalists." [REDACTED] desired to know if we had any objection to the use of the information set forth in the aforementioned memorandum in declaring the captioned subjects persona non grata. On January 21, 1964, [REDACTED] was advised by Mr. Bartlett of our objection to the use of this information since such action would have compromised a source of continuing value. (S)u

We no longer feel that the source of the information set forth on pages one through three of the memorandum is in a position to continue to furnish us with valuable data. Therefore, we now have no objection to the use of the information furnished by this source in persona non grata action or exclusion action against Juarbe and Meneses. (S)u

It is requested we be advised if you decide to institute action against Juarbe and Meneses utilizing this information. (S)u

- 1 - 105-13532 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-118848 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-11898 (Campos)

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Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State
Re: [REDACTED] b7C

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Subjects [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] have a history of activities in Puerto Rican Nationalist Movement. Pages one through three of San Juan memo 11/27/63 set forth data furnished by former security informant [REDACTED] and concerned a plot instigated by subjects to kidnap Albizu Campos, titular head of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico, who is confined by Puerto Rican authorities on a charge of murder and is in hospital in Puerto Rico due to ill health. Approval for advising State we no longer object to its utilization of the information furnished by former [REDACTED] in PNG or exclusion action against subjects was obtained by memorandum Wannall to Sullivan dated 10/28/64 re [REDACTED] (S) u

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TO DIRECTOR (105-11898) CHICAGO NEW YORK WASHINGTON FIELD
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 FROM SAN JUAN 021502

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. INTERNAL SECURITY-PUERTO RICO NATIONALIST.

b7c ON NOVEMBER 2 INSTANT [REDACTED] OFFICE
 OF INTELLIGENCE, POLICE OF PUERTO RICO, ADVISED SUBJECT
 SUFFERED EPILEPTIC SEIZURE ON NIGHT OF NOVEMBER 1 LAST,
 AND AS A RESULT WAS UNCONSCIOUS FOR THREE HOURS. HE HAS
 RECOVERED CONSCIOUSNESS AND CONDITION HAS IMPROVED OVER
 THAT OF LAST NIGHT, ALTHOUGH OVER-ALL CONDITION HAS WORSENERD
 OVER WHAT IT HAS BEEN OVER LAST FEW MONTHS. [REDACTED]
 ADVISES THAT NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION THAT SUBJECT IS DYING.
 HE WILL KEEP SAN JUAN OFFICE INFORMED ON CURRENT BASIS ON
 CONDITION OF SUBJECT.

OFFICE OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTI-
 GATIONS AND INTC, SAN JUAN, AS WELL AS SECRET SERVICE, SAN
 JUAN, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF ABOVE THIS DATE.

BUREAU REQUESTED TO ADVISE SECRET SERVICE, WASHINGTON.
 THIS OFFICE REVIEWING MEASURES TO BE TAKEN BY OFFICE
 UPON DEATH OF SUBJECT TO INSURE PROPOSED ACTION IS IN
 KEEPING WITH CURRENT CONDITIONS IN FIELD DIVISION.

SAN JUAN MAINTAINING CLOSE LIAISON WITH POLICE OF
 PUERTO RICO, AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT
 ADVISED OF SUBJECT'S CONDITION.

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Haack
1 - Mr. Pettit

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(SC) 105-11898 - 497

Date: November 4, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

Information has been received that Pedro Albizu Campos, the imprisoned titular head of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), suffered an epileptic seizure on the night of November 1, 1964. As a result, his over-all physical condition has worsened.

Albizu has been confined at the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico, under a twenty-four hour guard for many years. He is partially paralyzed and his physical condition has been such that doctors have expressed the opinion he could die at any time. Advocates of independence for Puerto Rico by violence have long indicated that should Albizu die while still imprisoned, there will be widespread violence perpetrated by his followers.

The NPPR has been designated as subversive pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

1 - Director

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Attention: [REDACTED]

1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

1 - Office of Special Investigations
Air Force

Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

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Bureau of Intelligence and Research
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**1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army**

Attention: Director of Security

1 - Chief, U. S. Secret Service

NOTE:

This matter is being followed closely and interested agencies will be advised of any worsening of Albizu's condition.

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FROM SAN JUAN 031339

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY-PUERTO RICO NATIONALIST.

RERAD FROM SAN JUAN NOVEMBER 2 INSTANT.

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AT 6:20 AM NOVEMBER 3 INSTANT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], OFFICE OF INTELLIGENCE, POLICE OF PUERTO RICO, ADVISED THAT PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF SUBJECT PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS DURING LATE PM OF NOVEMBER 2 LAST BY DR. EDUARDO MONTILLO, STAFF PHYSICIAN, PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, SANTURCE, PUERTO RICO, WHERE SUBJECT IS CONFINED, DISCLOSED THAT SUBJECT SUCCESSFULLY PASSED CRISIS OF EPILEPTIC SEIZURE OF NOVEMBER 1 LAST AND THAT PULMONARY AND CIRCULATORY SYSTEMS SHOW NO MARKED DETERIORATION. HOWEVER INSTANT ATTACK HAS LEFT SUBJECT IN MORE WEAKENED CONDITION THAN PREVIOUS ATTACKS, IN VIEW OF SUBJECT'S EXISTING MENTAL INCAPACITY, DR. MONTILLO DOES NOT BELIEVE INSTANT SEIZURE AND AFTER EFFECTS COULD HAVE BEEN FEIGNED. DR. MONTILLO IS OF OPINION THAT, UNLESS COMPLICATIONS ARISE, DEMISE OF SUBJECT NOT IMMEDIATE.

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT 6:00 AM NOVEMBER 3 INSTANT MEDICAL CHART OF SUBJECT DISCLOSES THAT SUBJECT'S CONDITION BACK TO NORMALCY FOR HIS CASE.

ONT, OST, INTC, AND SECRET SERVICE, SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF ABOVE THIS DATE.

BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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 FROM SAN JUAN 111533

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN
 NATIONALIST.

RE SAN JUAN RAD NOVEMBER 3, 1964.

[ON NOVEMBER 11, 1964, [REDACTED] ADVISED] THAT ON NOVEM-
 BER 10, 1964, SUPREME COURT OF COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO
 DENIED PETITION OF HABEAS CORPUS FOR RELEASE OF PUERTO
 RICAN NATIONALIST LEADER ALBIZU CAMPOS. b2, b7D

INFORMANT ADVISED THAT LOCAL NATIONALIST PARTY OF
 PUERTO RICO ELEMENTS DO NOT PLAN DEMONSTRATIONS OR TO TAKE
 ANY ACTION RE APPEAL TO U.S. SUPREME COURT AND THAT LATTER
 MATTER IS BEING HANDLED BY CONRAD LYNN, ATTORNEY FOR ALBIZU,
 AND RUTH REYNOLDS, PACIFIST INTERESTED IN PUERTO RICO IN-
 DEPENDENCE, BOTH OF NEW YORK.

SJO WILL FOLLOW MATTER AND KEEP BUREAU AND INTERESTED
 OFFICES ADVISED.

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FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

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BY 2842 Pml/Brj/rus

1 - Mr. Evans
1 - Mr. Haack
1 - Mr. Pettit

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY - PRN.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF PUERTO RICO ADVISED THE ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE U.S. ON NOVEMBER THIRTEEN INSTANT THAT GOVERNOR LUIS MUNOZ MARIN OF PUERTO RICO INTENDS TO PARDON ALBIZU IN THE NEAR FUTURE, POSSIBLY DURING THE WEEK BEGINNING NOVEMBER FIFTEEN NEXT. THIS INFORMATION WAS FURNISHED TO THE BUREAU ON A CONFIDENTIAL BASIS AS GOVERNOR MUNOZ DOES NOT WANT THE NEWS TO LEAK OUT AT THIS TIME. INFORMATION IS BEING FURNISHED ON A CONFIDENTIAL BASIS TO SECRET SERVICE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D. C.

THE BUREAU DESIRES TO NOTIFY OTHER INTERESTED AGENCIES AS SOON AS THE INFORMATION CAN BE RELEASED. ARRANGE TO ADVISE THE BUREAU IMMEDIATELY OF ANY DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS MATTER WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO INFORMATION THAT MIGHT BE DISSEMINATED TO OTHER PERTINENT GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. REMAIN ALERT FOR ANY INDICATION OF POSSIBLE VIOLENCE ON THE PART OF INDEPENDENCE

ADVOCATES IN CONNECTION WITH THE PENDING RELEASE OF ABBIZU.

NEW YORK BEING ADVISED.

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RADIOGRAM TO SAN JUAN
RE: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

NOTE:

Acting Attorney General Katzenbach advised Assistant Director C. A. Evans of his conversation with the Attorney General of Puerto Rico 11/13/64. Albizu is physically incapacitated and has been confined under guard at Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico, since 1956. A conditional pardon for prior conviction of Puerto Rican insurrection laws was revoked in March, 1954, by the Governor of Puerto Rico. Albizu confined since that time.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS IS-PRN.

RE BURAD TO SAN JUAN, AND SAC, SAN JUAN, TELEPHONE
 CONVERSATION WITH BUREAU SUPERVISOR JAMES BLAND, BOTH NOVEMBER
 13, LAST.

FOR INFORMATION BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES, LOCAL
 PRESS AND RADIO-TV MEDIA ANNOUNCED ON NOVEMBER 15, LAST THAT
 LUIS MUNOZ MARIN, GOVERNOR OF COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO,
 ON NOVEMBER 14, LAST, SIGNED PARDON PAPERS AUTHORIZING RELEASE
 OF SUBJECT.

GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO HAS AGREED TO MAINTAIN SUBJECT
 AT ITS EXPENSE AT PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, SANTURCE, P.R., FOR
 ABOUT ONE WEEK AFTER EFFECTIVE DATE OF PARDON, I.E. 1:10 P.M.
 NOVEMBER 15 LAST, DURING WHICH PERIOD POLICE GUARD SERVICE AND
 GOVERNMENT RESTRICTIONS ON VISITORS WILL BE DISCONTINUED.

SAN JUAN OFFICE ON NOVEMBER 14, LAST NOTIFIED LOCAL
 OFFICES OF INTC, OSI, ONI AND SECRET SERVICE OF DEVELOPMENTS.

b2, b7D [REDACTED] ADVISED ON NOVEMBER 16, INSTANT, NATIONAL JUNTA
 OF NPPR IS IN PROCESS OF FORMULATING PLANS AND BELIEVES DEFINITE
 ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE COMPLETED BY NOVEMBER 19 NEXT RE MAINTENANCE
 AND MEDICAL ATTENTION OF SUBJECT.

SAN JUAN OFFICE WILL FOLLOW DEVELOPMENTS THROUGH ESTABLISHED

RELAYED TO CHICAGO, PHILADELPHIA, NEWARK AND NEW HAVEN
 2CC: WASHINGTON FIELD

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SOURCES AND KEEP BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES ADVISED.

IT IS RECOMMENDED CHICAGO, PHILADELPHIA, NEW HAVEN, NEWARK, NEW YORK AND WFO BE ALERT RE DISPOSITION OF SUBJECT, DEMONSTRATIONS, AND TRAVEL TO PUERTO RICO OF POSSIBLE PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDENCE AGITATORS. PENDING.

RECEIVED: 11:14 AM JLD

cc: Mr. Sullivan
 Mr. Trotter

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

FROM : Mr. J. F. Bland *gfb*

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PRN

DATE: November 13, 1964

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Bland
1 - Mr. C.A. Evans
1 - Mr. Pettit
1 - Mr. Haack *gfb*

SAC Bishop of the San Juan Office called at 5:15 p.m., today and advised Mr. Bland that Governor Luis Munoz Marin of Puerto Rico had just told him that he intended to pardon the subject effective 11-14-64.

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Albizu has been serving a sentence for insurrection in connection with the 1950 riots in Puerto Rico. The Governor pardoned him in 1953 and three months later revoked his pardon immediately following the shooting in the halls of Congress 3-1-54. Since 1956 Albizu has been a patient under guard at the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico. His physical condition is critical and doctors advise that he could die at any time.

The Governor who did not stand for re-election in November, 1964, told Bishop he had the following two specific reasons for his pardon of Albizu: (1) he wanted to relieve the incoming governor of the problem of Albizu. (2) Albizu's health has become progressively worse. Should he die while in prison there have been persistent claims on the part of his followers that they would foment violence similar to the 1950 riots which caused thirty deaths. On the other hand Albizu's death would have little propaganda value to his followers should it occur after his pardon.

The authorities plan to allow Albizu's followers up to a week to arrange for Albizu's removal from Presbyterian Hospital and his subsequent care.

SAC Bishop is alerting local military authorities. The police of Puerto Rico are already cognizant of the Governor's intentions. Bishop said no information regarding possible violence as a result of Albizu's pardon has been received by either the San Juan Office or the police of Puerto Rico.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

ACTION:

San Juan, New York, Chicago and Washington Field Office have been alerted to stay on top of the situation, to advise the Bureau immediately of any developments in this matter and to be most alert for indications of possible violence. The headquarters of Secret Service, Army, Navy, Air Force, State Department and [REDACTED] have been advised.

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Following called by SA IVAN D. HAACK 11/10/67

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6:10 PM - OSI - [REDACTED]

6:20 PM - Sec. SERV. - [REDACTED]

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1 - Mr. Haack
1 - Mr. Pettit

TO: SACs, NEW YORK ENCODED
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FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY - PRN.

INFORMATION RECEIVED NOVEMBER THIRTEEN INSTANT ON A VERY
CONFIDENTIAL BASIS THAT THE GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO INTENDS
TO PARDON THE SUBJECT AT AN EARLY DATE, POSSIBLY DURING THE
WEEK BEGINNING NOVEMBER FIFTEEN NEXT. SECRET SERVICE
HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D. C., BEING ADVISED ON CONFIDENTIAL
BASIS OF ALBIZU'S PENDING RELEASE. SAN JUAN IS FOLLOWING
DEVELOPMENTS IN PUERTO RICO.

NEW YORK AND CHICAGO REMAIN ALERT FOR ANY INDICATIONS
OF POSSIBLE VIOLENCE. PERTINENT INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS
BASED THEREON WILL BE FURNISHED AS IT IS RECEIVED.

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Subject is the imprisoned head of Nationalist Party

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY-PRN.

DATE 7/9/81 BY 2842
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-Rec 6 BD Mr J. L. Sanchez

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Haack
1 - Mr. Pettit

Date: November 18, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

The Governor of Puerto Rico pardoned Albizu on November 14, 1964. Albizu had been serving a sentence imposed by Puerto Rican authorities for his connection with the uprising of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico in October, 1950.

The subject has been hospitalized at Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico, since 1956. He is 73 years of age and in poor physical condition being almost completely paralyzed and unable to communicate.

His attorney, Carlos Carrera Benitez, with the assistance of other Puerto Rican independence advocates is organizing a massive demonstration to take place at the time Albizu is transferred from Presbyterian Hospital. The time of the transfer and the hospital to which he will be taken have not yet been determined. The exact nature of the demonstration has not yet been determined. However, a source familiar with arrangements so far has stated that no violence or acts of civil disobedience are planned at this time.

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Attention:

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1 - Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Assistant Attorney General

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

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**Director
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**1 - Office of Special Investigations
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Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

**1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army**

Attention: Director of Security

1 - Chief, U. S. Secret Service

NOTE:

Each recipient of this letter has been previously advised of Albizu's impending pardon and ~~has~~ been furnished with background information.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. BELMONT *al*

DATE: November 13, 1964

FROM : C. A. EVANS *EVANS*

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU-CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

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Acting Attorney General Katzenbach advised he received word today that Governor Munoz of Puerto Rico planned to pardon subject, the Puerto Rican Nationalist leader, the first part of next week. Governor Munoz is making every effort to keep his plans confidential and would not even notify the United States Government in writing. He sent his Attorney General specifically to Washington to advise administration leaders. Katzenbach said the State Department had been informed.

Albizu-Campos, who is 72 years old and seriously ill, has been in the penitentiary since 1951 when he was convicted in Puerto Rico for terroristic activities arising out of the 1950 revolution attempt. He was pardoned in 1953 but this was revoked the following year following the attempted assassination of ~~President Truman~~.

members of Congress.

ACTION BEING TAKEN:

Inasmuch as the followers of Albizu-Campos in the Nationalistic Party of Puerto Rico had planned extensive demonstrations on his death, the Domestic Intelligence Division is alerting our field divisions covering localities which have Puerto Rican communities. In addition, Secret Service is being advised.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Pettit, Room 827
- 1 - Mr. Evans
- 1 - Mr. Stanley

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Date: November 17, 1964

DATE 7/9/81 BY 2842 PMU/STJ/ED

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

b7C This letter will confirm information furnished to each recipient on November 13, 1964, concerning the impending release and pardon of Pedro Albizu Campos, imprisoned titular head of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) by Governor Luis Munoz Marin of Puerto Rico. This information was furnished telephonically on November 13, 1964, by Special Agent Ivan D. Haack to [REDACTED] Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of the Army; [REDACTED] Office of the Director of Naval Intelligence; [REDACTED] Office of Special Investigations, Air Force; [REDACTED] Secret Service; [REDACTED] Department of State; and [REDACTED] b2, b7C

Governor Munoz signed the pardon papers on November 14, 1964, as planned. He announced that Albizu would be kept at Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico, where he has been confined for the past eight years, for approximately another week in order to give those interested in him an opportunity to prepare for his care. A meeting of the leaders of the NPPR was held on November 15, 1964, for the purpose of arranging for Albizu's removal from the hospital and his subsequent care.

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1 - Director

Attention: [REDACTED]

Chief, U. S. Secret Service

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Director
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Department of State

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

1 - Office of Special Investigations
Air Force

Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army

Attention: Director of Security

1 - Chief, U. S. Secret Service

NOTE:

Albizu is titular head of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico. Each recipient of this letter has been previously advised concerning the subject's activities, his pardon from prison and his physical condition. Above information was furnished appropriate agencies and Police of Puerto Rico locally by San Juan Office. Washington Field was instructed by San Juan radiogram 2/9/65 to advise the Chief of Puerto Rican Governor Sanchez Security Detail. Noted the Governor is currently in Washington, D. C. San Juan is maintaining close liaison with Police of Puerto Rico and will keep the Bureau advised of subject's condition.

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TO DIRECTOR (105-11898) NEW YORK AND CHICAGO
 NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON-ENCODED
 FROM SAN JUAN 171609

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, AKA, IS-PRN.

INTERNAL SECURITY - Puerto Rican NATIONALIST

EVENING NOVEMBER 16 LAST, [REDACTED] ADVISED SUBJECT'S
 ATTORNEY, CARLOS CARRERA BENITEZ, WITH ASSISTANCE ^{MOVEMENT FOR} ~~MPTR~~ ^{INDEPENDENCE}
 AGITATOR MANUEL "PITO" COLON ARE ORGANIZING MASSIVE DEMONSTRATION
 OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBERS THROUGHOUT ENTIRE ISLAND
 TO BE STAGED ~~WHEN~~ ^{WHEN} SUBJECT REMOVED FROM PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL.
 INFORMANT STATED ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO GATHER AS LARGE
 A CROWD AS POSSIBLE TO DEMONSTRATE AFFECTION AND ESTEEM FOR
 SUBJECT. INFORMANT STATED NO VIOLENCE OR ACTS OF CIVIL
 DISOBEDIENCE PLANNED AT THIS TIME. ^{POLICE OF PUERTO RICO} ~~POPR~~ IMMEDIATELY
 ADVISED. SUBJECT FOLLOWING CLOSELY THROUGH INFORMANTS
 AND SOURCES. BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE IMMEDIATELY
 ADVISED ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENTS. AIRTEL AND ^{LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM} ~~THM~~ FOLLOW

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 11/17/64

Pedro Albizu Campos, head of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico, was pardoned by Governor of Puerto Rico 11/14/64. His followers are arranging for his continued hospitalization and in connection with moving him within next few days they plan large peaceful demonstration. Being followed closely. State, Secret Service, Dept., and military intelligence agencies being notified.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. IS - PRN.

RESJRAD DATED NOVEMBER 16 LAST.

ON NOVEMBER 17 LAST [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT JOSE ANTONIO OTERO OTERO, PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT OF NPPR, AND OTHER LEADERS OF GROUP HAVE DECIDED THAT SUBJECT WILL CONTINUE TO BE HOSPITALIZED AT PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, SANTURCE, PUERTO RICO, FOR PERIOD OF ABOUT TEN DAYS. NPPR WILL ASSUME ALL COSTS BEGINNING NOVEMBER 18 INSTANT. PLANS ARE BEING MADE WITH DR. RICARDO CORDERO, FRIEND OF SUBJECT AND ASSOCIATED WITH CLINICA PAVIA, SANTURCE, PUERTO RICO, TO HOSPITALIZE SUBJECT AT THAT CLINIC IF ADMINISTRATION OF CLINIC WILL ACCEPT SUBJECT.

INFORMANT ADVISES NPPR AT THIS TIME DOES NOT HAVE ADEQUATE FUNDS. TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE IS \$601.20. TENTATIVE PLANS MADE TO IMPOSE FOLLOWING MONTHLY FUND COLLECTION QUOTAS: NEW YORK - \$300, CHICAGO - \$300, REYNOLDS - MILLER - EICHEL GROUP, NEW YORK - \$200 AND NATIONAL JUNTA - \$400.

INFORMANT FURTHER ADVISES IF PLANS FAIL RE HOSPITALIZING SUBJECT IN INSTITUTION OTHER THAN PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL.

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EFFORTS WILL BE MADE BY NPPR TO CONTINUE HOSPITALIZATION
 OF SUBJECT THERE AT A SPECIAL CHARITY RATE (S) 4

EMERGENCY MEETING OF NPPR NATIONAL JUNTA SLATED FOR
 SUNDAY NOVEMBER 22 NEXT (S) 4

COPIES AIRMAIL TO CHICAGO, PHILADELPHIA, NEWARK,
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cc: Mr. Pettit

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, (FBI-105-11898)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-47403)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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On 11/18/64, [REDACTED] advised that, according to LYDIA COLLAZO, on 11/17/64, ROSA COLLAZO would accompany ANGEL CRUZ CRUZ on his return to Puerto Rico on the evening of 11/22/64. (S) u

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The purpose of ROSA COLLAZO's travel will be to see the subject, whom she desires to be near for a few days. The exact flight to be taken or duration of ROSA COLLAZO's visit in Puerto Rico were unknown to the source.

Any further details will be expeditiously furnished to SJO.

SJO requested to alert appropriate sources

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-11898)

FROM: SAC, SAN JUAN (3-1)

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, aka.
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APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
 AND FIELD OFFICES
 ADVISED BY ROUTING
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Re SJ rad 11/17/64.

Enclosed for the Bureau, New York and Chicago,
 are 10, 1 and 1 copies, respectively, of an LHM dated and
 captioned as above at San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Local dissemination has been made to 471st INTC
 Det., OSI, Ramey AFB, and ONI, 10th ND.

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 LHM is [REDACTED] u

LHM has been classified "CONFIDENTIAL" inasmuch
 as it contains information furnished by [REDACTED] the b2, b7D
 unauthorized disclosure of which could reasonably result
 in the identification of this informant and compromise his
 future effectiveness.

Information contained in the LHM was disseminated
 to local intelligence agencies and to the Police of Puerto
 Rico on 11/17/64.

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Information copies furnished Chicago and New York due to the interest of these offices in captioned matter.

San Juan is following this matter closely through informants and sources.

The Bureau, Chicago and New York will immediately be advised of additional developments.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
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Post Office Box 4312
San Juan, Puerto Rico - 00905
November 18, 1964

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

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On November 16, 1964, a confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that Carlos Carrera Benitez, the attorney for the above-captioned individual, recently secured the assistance of MOVIMIENTO PRO-INDEPENDENCIA DE PUERTO RICO (Puerto Rican Independence Movement) (MPIPR) member Manuel "Pito" Colon in order to organize a massive demonstration outside of the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico, where Albizu Campos is hospitalized, upon the release of Albizu Campos from the hospital. The source advised that Carrera Benitez and Manuel Colon are seeking members of the Puerto Rican Independence Movement throughout the entire Island in order to request them to travel to San Juan to partake in the massive demonstration as indicated above. The source advised that Carrera Benitez and Manuel Colon indicated they desired to assemble as large a crowd as possible in order to demonstrate affection and esteem for Albizu Campos. The source noted that Albizu Campos would be removed from the Presbyterian Hospital to another location by November 21, 1964.

A characterization of the MPIPR
appears in the appendix.

The source advised that Carrera Benitez and Manuel Colon plan no acts of violence or civil disobedience in connection with the above-mentioned demonstration.

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Re: Pedro Albizu Campos

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The source noted, however, that during the afternoon of November 16, 1964, Manuel Colon stated that it would be "a shame" to allow a massive demonstration to pass without utilizing it as a political issue. ~~Q4~~

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Re: Pedro Albizu Campos

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APPENDIX

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MOVIMIENTO PRO INDEPENDENCIA DE PUERTO RICO
(Puerto Rican Independence Movement) (MPIPR)

On June 20, 1960, JUAN MARI BRAS, Secretary General of the MPIPR, advised Special Agents of the FBI this organization was formed January 11, 1959, at Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, and officially came into being at the MPIPR Constituent Convention on November 23, 1959, at Ponce, Puerto Rico. It was formed by a group of former leaders of the PARTIDO INDEPENDENTISTA PUERTORRIQUENO (Independence Party of Puerto Rico) (PIP), a formerly legally constituted political party, who were dissatisfied with PIP policies and decided to form a more active organization to indoctrinate the Puerto Rican people with the ideal of Puerto Rican independence.

Although the MPIPR does not advocate violence, it will accept anyone who believes in Puerto Rican independence, regardless of his beliefs on the use of violence, provided he agrees with the MPIPR Declaration of Principles. The organization contains both Nationalists and Communists within its membership, but does not assume responsibility for actions they may take not sanctioned by the group.

Speaking on behalf of himself and his organization, MARI BRAS said the MPIPR does not currently advocate violence as a means of obtaining Puerto Rican independence only because he felt that violence would be ineffective against the power of the U.S. Government. MARI BRAS stated that he believed in the right of a people, specifically the Puerto Rican people, to use violence to obtain their freedom if and when the circumstances are such that they could possibly be successful in their efforts.

Headquarters of the MPIPR is located at Rio Piedras, a suburb of San Juan.

Issues of the MPIPR "Carta Semanal" (Weekly Letter), self-described as a weekly bulletin from MPIPR headquarters to the various branches, during 1963 have reported that MPIPR branches have been established, at least in name, in almost every town and hamlet in Puerto Rico and in Chicago, Illinois and New York City.

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Re: Pedro Albizu Campos

APPENDIX

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The Fifth Annual General Assembly of the MPIPR was held December 1, 1963, at Ponce, Puerto Rico, and, according to reports by the press and from two confidential sources, one of the resolutions passed by this body was one of support and thanks sent to the Cuban UN Delegation for refusing to sign a denuclearization of Latin America proposal until Puerto Rico was included. Press reports also stated that JUAN MARI BRAS made a speech which denounced U. S. economic penetration of Puerto Rico and announced a program of electoral abstinence in the November, 1964 elections. The MPIPR intends to boycott the election and to attempt to influence others to do the same through a program of meetings, propaganda and picketing of polling places. This is viewed by the MPIPR as the most effective method of repudiating the "colonial" status of Puerto Rico.

Attendance at this assembly was estimated by the above-mentioned confidential sources to be between 600 and 750 persons. POPR sources also reported later that MARI was so discouraged by the attendance that he threatened to resign as Secretary General.

Total membership of the MPIPR is believed by the OI, POPR to be between 1,000 and 1,300 persons.

Among the members of the 90 member National Council of the MPIPR are adherents of other independence-seeking groups, including the NATIONALIST PARTY OF PUERTO RICO (NPPR).

The NPPR has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (105-11898)

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (105-11240)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
IS -PRN

DATE: 11/27/64

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DATE 7/9/81

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Re San Juan teletype to Bureau, et al, 11/16/64.

For the information of San Juan, the Philadelphia Office has only two persons known to be present or past members of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico residing within its division. These persons are identified as [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] b7c

On 11/16/64, SAs MASON P. SMITH and JOSEPH H. NANNEY verified that JUAN LEON-RAMIREZ continues to reside at 1917 North 6th Street, and MIGUEL LEON-RAMIREZ continues to reside at 1949 North 6th Street, both Philadelphia. This was verified through pretext inquiry at the above addresses, utilizing the pretext of insurance salesmen trying to contact the above-mentioned persons.

On 11/18/64, SA MASON P. SMITH verified that MIGUEL LEON-RAMIREZ continues to be employed by the Acme Wire Products Company, Inc., 2519 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, through an employment source. The source was again advised of the FBI's interest in this person and stated he would immediately notify the Philadelphia Office should LEON-RAMIREZ be absent from work or give any indication that he intended to travel to Puerto Rico or elsewhere.

On 11/24/64, SA MASON P. SMITH verified that JUAN ANTONIO LEON-RAMIREZ had been employed since early November 1964 at the Boas Paper Box Company, Hunting Park Avenue and Fox Street, Philadelphia. An employment source will be developed at JUAN

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- 2 - San Juan (RM)
- 3 - Philadelphia
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LEON-RAMIREZ's place of employment.

Philadelphia sources alerted concerning release of subject.

b7c [REDACTED] Civil Disobedience Unit, Commissioner's Office, Philadelphia Police Department, and [REDACTED] Intelligence Unit, Philadelphia Police Department, alerted and stated they would immediately advise of any demonstrations pertaining to the subject's release or other phases of the Puerto Rican Independence Movement.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. IS-PRN.

RESJRAD DATED NOVEMBER 16 LAST.

b2, b7C ON NOVEMBER 25 INSTANT [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT ON NOVEMBER 24
 LAST JOSE A. OTERO, NPPR PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT, CARLOS CARRERA
 BONITEZ, ATTORNEY FOR SUBJECT AND DR. RICARDO CORDERO,
 PERSONAL FRIEND AND PHYSICIAN OF SUBJECT, ARRANGED WITH
 DR. ARTURO GONZALEZ MENA OWNER OF HOSPITAL NUESTRA SENORA
 DE GUADALUPE, 435 PONCE DE LEON, HATO REY, PR TO ACCEPT SUBJECT
 AT THE RATE OF ABOUT \$600 PER MONTH. SUBJECT CONFINEMENT
 AT THIS HOSPITAL TO BEGIN DURING FIRST WEEK OF DECEMBER.
 NPPR HAS NOT MADE FINANCIAL DEPOSIT (S) u

INFORMANT FURTHER ADVISED THAT NPPR AS OF NOVEMBER 24
 LAST HAD \$2,800 CASH ON HAND AND UNPAID PLEDGES AMOUNTING
 TO \$1,060 (S) u

FUNDS IN POSSESSION OF NATIONAL JUNTA MEMBERS SINCE
 NPPR DOES NOT HAVE BANK ACCOUNT (S) u

INFORMANT ADVISED THAT NPPR IS NOT PLANNING DEMONSTRATION
 AT TIME OF TRANSFER OF SUBJECT FROM PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL
 TO GUADALUPE HOSPITAL BUT THAT OTHER PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDENCE
 LEADERS, APPARENTLY ARE CONSIDERING A DEMONSTRATION (S) u

INDICES OF SJO CONTAIN NUMEROUS SECURITY REFERENCES FOR

b7C [REDACTED]
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 WASHINGTON FIELD.

MATTER IS BEING FOLLOWED AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL
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 paraphrased in order to protect the Bureau's cryptographic systems.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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REPORTING OFFICE SAN JUAN	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SAN JUAN	DATE 12/17/64	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 10/19-12/11/64
TITLE OF CASE PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, aka 7/10/81 CLASS. & EXT. BY 2842 PmV/BTS/245 REASON-FCIM II, 1-2.4.2 2 DATE OF REVIEW 12/17/84		REPORT MADE BY WILLIAM G. FRIEDEMANN	TYPED BY mar
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REFERENCES: SJrep of SA RAYMER P. PETERS, 12/3/63.

SJrad to Bureau, 11/25/64.

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APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
ADVISED BY ROUTING
SLIP(S) OF ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
DATE **3-12-81**

AT SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO. 1) Will follow and report subject's activities and activities of the NPPR relative to his removal from the Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, Puerto Rico, and subsequent lodging or accommodation.

2) Will maintain contact with local sources with reference to the disposition and utilization of the subject by the NPPR and other Puerto Rican independence groups.

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SJ T-2 is

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Copies of this report are being furnished to Chicago, NY and WFO for their information.

For the information of the Bureau and interested offices, since the release of PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS by the Commonwealth of PR on 11/15/64, numerous newspaper items have appeared in the local press concerning subject. The contents of these newspaper articles are not being included in instant report inasmuch as they, for the most part, give a resume of the subject's connection with the NPPR, etc. It is also desired to point out that the subject, due to his senile condition, which has been further intensified by partial paralysis, has lost his capacity to speak and his vocabulary is less than ten words and apparently is incapable of calling individuals by their names. [REDACTED] has advised that unless he improves, there are no indications that the NPPR will be able to utilize ALBIZU for a radio-television appearance nor will it be possible to publish articles and attribute them to him as author inasmuch as of this time his physical-mental condition is such that he apparently does not comprehend what he reads and answers questions with an at-random yes or no, making it obvious that he does not understand the simplest questions when [REDACTED]

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presented to him both orally and in written form. This informant also pointed out that the subject, when asked whether he desired to leave the Presbyterian Hospital in view of the high costs of maintaining him there, answered that he is not willing to leave. The subject's personal physician, Dr. RICARDO CORDERO, has explained to NPPR officials that there is a likelihood that a sudden removal of ALBIZU from Presbyterian Hospital may subject him to such a psychological shock that it may hasten his demise (S) u

Subject is considered a key figure of the SJO because of his position as titular head of the NPPR.

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1. ☒ Subject's name is included in the Security Index.
2. ☒ The data appearing on the Security Index card are current.
3. ☐ Changes on the Security Index card are necessary and Form FD-122 has been submitted to the Bureau.
4. ☒ A suitable photograph ☒ is ☐ is not available.
5. ☐ Subject is employed in a key facility and _____ is charged with security responsibility. Interested agencies are _____.
6. ☒ This report is classified ~~Confidential~~ because (state reason) **the unauthorized disclosure of information furnished by SJ T-1 and SJ T-2 could reasonably result in their identification and compromise their future effectiveness** *PH U*
7. ☐ Subject previously interviewed (dates) _____.
☒ Subject was not reinterviewed because (state reason) _____
of his incarceration and poor health.
8. ☐ This case no longer meets the Security Index criteria and a letter has been directed to the Bureau recommending cancellation of the Security Index card.
9. ☒ This case has been re-evaluated in the light of the Security Index criteria and it continues to fall within such criteria because (state reason)
subject, since his release from prison on 11/15/64, by individual proclamation of individual members of the NPPR, continues to be supreme leader of the NPPR. He holds this position despite his almost complete physical and mental incapacity.
10. ☒ Subject's SI card ☒ is ☐ is not tabbed Detcom.
☒ Subject's activities ☒ do ☐ do not warrant Detcom tabbing.
11. **Subject is not tabbed pro-Cuban, and his activities do not warrant pro-Cuban tabbing.**

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- 1 - 471st INTC Detachment, San Juan (By Hand)
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Report of:

WILLIAM G. FRIEDEMANN

Office: San Juan, Puerto Rico

Date:

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Bureau File #: 105-11898

Title:

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

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Character:

INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

Synopsis:

PR Supreme Court on 11/10/64, denied petition of writ of habeas corpus for release of subject. Subject pardoned by Governor, Commonwealth of PR, 11/15/64. Due to delicate physical condition of subject, he continues to be confined to Presbyterian Hospital, Santurce, PR, and NPPR is assuming all costs since 11/20/64. Subject still considered head of NPPR but due to illness has not made any public statements.

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DETAILS:I. STATUS OF INCARCERATION

On November 11, 1964, [REDACTED] b7C
Office of Intelligence, Police of Puerto Rico (OI, POPR),
advised that on November 10, 1964, the Supreme Court of
Puerto Rico denied a petition of a writ of habeas corpus
for the release of PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, Puerto Rican nationalist
b7C leader. [REDACTED] advised on November 15, 1964, that on
November 14, 1964, LUIS MUNOZ MARIN, Governor of the Commonwealth
of Puerto Rico, signed a pardon for the release of ALBIZU on
the grounds that he no longer constitutes a danger to the

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security of the government. This pardon was delivered to the subject's attorney, CARLOS CARRERA BENITEZ at 1:10 p.m., November 15, 1964, at which time the pardon for the release of the subject became effective. [REDACTED] further advised that due to the inability of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) to assume responsibilities for maintenance and care of the subject, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, through the Attorney General, suggested that the Commonwealth would continue to assume the financial responsibility of maintaining ALBIZU at the Presbyterian Hospital for a reasonable period of time or approximately five days. b7c

The NPPR has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

(On November 20, 1964, SJ T-1 advised [REDACTED] that as of that date the NPPR assumed full responsibility for the maintenance and medical attention of ALBIZU and agreed to pay the hospital at the rate of \$17.00 per day for the room and \$48.00 per day for the nurses and any other incidental medical expense incurred. (u)

II. STATUS OF HEALTH

On December 11, 1964, [REDACTED] advised that the subject continues to suffer from partial paralysis which has left him without the faculty of fluent speaking. [REDACTED] further advised that he continues to suffer from a kidney ailment and has seizures from time to time. [REDACTED] advised that to date ALBIZU has been incapable of participating in an interview, public appearances, has not made any statements, and he is paralyzed to such an extent that he cannot walk and for locomotion uses a wheel chair. b7c

On December 11, 1964, SJ T-2 advised that the NPPR has paid the Presbyterian Hospital up to December 15, 1964, for the continued confinement of ALBIZU there. This informant (u)

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advised that efforts are being made to obtain lodging with some hospital facilities for the subject in San Juan or the suburbs in order to avoid the high costs of hospitalization of the subject at Presbyterian Hospital. ~~U~~ U

III. NPPR LEADERSHIP STATUS

[On November 17, 1964, SJ T-1 advised] ~~U~~ U that as of that date JOSE ANTONIO OTERO OTERO, Provisional President of the NPPR, advised that by proclamation of the National Junta and members in general of the NPPR the subject continues to be head of the NPPR despite his adverse physical and mental condition.

SJ T-1 further advised that the NPPR had intended to utilize the subject after his release from prison for propaganda purposes through television and radio appearances. This source advised that the physical and mental condition of the subject at this time is of such a nature that he cannot be utilized for this purpose. The source advised that the vocabulary of the subject is limited to approximately ten words, his voice is almost inaudible and apparently cannot concentrate sufficiently to comprehend the meaning of written, oral, or printed words. ~~U~~ U

IV. DEMONSTRATIONS BY INDEPENDENTISTS IN FAVOR OF ALBIZU

[On December 11, 1964, SJ T-1 advised] ~~U~~ U that the NPPR has contacted its Municipal Juntas in New York and Chicago and various officials of Puerto Rican independence groups in the continental United States and Puerto Rico and instructed them to refrain from demonstrations and pickets with reference to ALBIZU but to concentrate on the collection of funds for his lodging and medical attention. This source further advised that Otero has pointed out in his communications to these individuals and organizations that the task at hand is the collection of funds and once adequate funds are assured, then the objectives of the NPPR (independence for Puerto Rico by any means) will be pursued.

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V. MISCELLANEOUS

On December 11, 1964, SJ T-1 and SJ T-2 advised that the release of ALBIZU on November 15, 1964, has placed a heavy financial burden on the NPPR and other Puerto Rican independence organizations and that the burden is so great that the NPPR National Junta itself is not able to fulfill its financial obligations. These sources further pointed out that the initial funds drive sponsored by the NPPR resulted in approximately \$2,800.00 in cash and that by December 12, 1964, only \$700.00 remained. These sources also stated that during the last ten days the amounts collected during the funds drive have been very small and it appears that the minimum amount necessary for the maintenance and medical attention of ALBIZU per month, which is about \$700.00, cannot be raised by the National Junta of the NPPR on a continuous basis without the assistance of Municipal Juntas in New York, Chicago and other Puerto Rican independence groups. ~~EX~~

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Post Office Box 4312
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00905

December 17, 1964

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Pedro Albizu Campos
Internal Security - Puerto Rican Nationalist

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent William G. Friedemann, dated and captioned as above at San Juan.

All sources whose identities are concealed in referenced report have furnished reliable information in the past.

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(SC) 105-11898

DATE 7/10/81

BY 2842 PMV/BPJ/RW

Date: December 18, 1964

1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Pettit

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZ CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

Reference is made to my letter dated November 18, 1964, concerning a pardon granted to the subject on November 14, 1964, by the Governor of Puerto Rico.

Due to Albizu's poor physical condition, continued hospitalization is necessary. He is almost completely paralyzed and is unable to speak. On December 15, 1964, he was moved from Presbyterian Hospital in Santurce, Puerto Rico, where he has been kept since 1956 to a private nursing home at 504 Juan J. Jimenez Street, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico. He will be under the care of Ethelvina Davila de Rodriguez who was also his nurse while he was at Presbyterian Hospital.

We have been advised that the expense of his hospitalization is being borne by contributions from his followers and those caring for him are rendering their services on a commercial basis.

1 - Director

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Attention:

- 1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General
- 1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

- 1 - Office of Special Investigations
Air Force

Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

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**Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State**

**1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army**

Attention: Director of Security

1 - Chief, U. S. Secret Service

NOTE:

Albizu is titular head of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico. Each recipient of this letter has been previously advised concerning his pardon and physical condition.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-11898) DATE: 12/22/64

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (105-5732) (P)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
IS - PRN

Re San Juan teletype 11/16/64 and San Juan radiograms
11/18, 25/64.

Established sources, Bridgeport, Conn., alerted re subject's
pardon and subsequent hospitalization at Nuest Ra Senora
De Guadalupe, Hato Rey, P.R.

Sources unable to furnish any pertinent information regarding
subject and/or any demonstrations and travel to Puerto Rico
of possible Puerto Rican independence agitators.

This matter being closely followed by New Haven Office.

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RESJRAD DECEMBER 14 LAST. b2, b7D

ON DECEMBER 15 LAST, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT AT
 4:30 PM THAT DATE SUBJECT WAS TRANSFERRED VIA AMBULANCE
 HIRED BY NPPR FROM PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, SANTURCE,
 PUERTO RICO, TO PRIVATE RESIDENCE AT CALLE JUAN J.
 JIMENEZ 504, HATO REY.

INFORMANT ADVISED NPPR HIRED AMBULANCE IN RIO
 PIEDRAS, PAYING CHARITY RATE OF \$11 FOR SERVICE.

SUBJECT IS OCCUPYING FIRST FLOOR OF HOUSE WHICH
 IS A MODERN, TWO STORY STRUCTURE SUITABLE FOR TWO
 FAMILY OCCUPANCY AND IS IN HIGHLY RESPECTABLE, RECENTLY
 DEVELOPED HOUSING DEVELOPMENT. NPPR, ACCORDING TO
 INFORMANT, IS PAYING \$200 PER MONTH TO DR. VIRGILIO
 RODRIGUEZ MARRERO, WHO IS SUBLETTING FIRST FLOOR AND
 OCCUPYING SECOND. RODRIGUEZ IS RELATIVE OF OWNER,
 DR. LUIS DAVILA CINTRON, ETHELVINA DAVILA DE RODRIGUEZ,
 WIFE OF DR. RODRIGUEZ, WHILE SUBJECT WAS CONFINED TO
 PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL ATTENDED SUBJECT AS SPECIAL NURSE
 AT THAT HOSPITAL. DAVILA WILL CONTINUE AS SPECIAL NURSE

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OF SUBJECT AT RATE OF \$18 PER DAY, SEVEN DAYS PER WEEK,
 SEVEN AM TO BEDTIME.

INFORMANT ADVISES THAT DR. VIRGILIO RODRIGUEZ
 MARRERO, DR. DAVILA, MRS. ETHELVINA DAVILA AND
 MRS. CORNELIA ESCARDILLA, OWNER OF AMBULANCE, ARE NOT
 MEMBERS OR SYMPATHIZERS OF NPPR BUT RENDERED SERVICES
 ON COMMERCIAL BASIS.

INDICES OF SAN JUAN OFFICE CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE
 DEROGATORY INFORMATION REGARDING DR. RODRIGUEZ,
 ETHELVINA DAVILA AND ESCARDILLA.

INTC, ONI, OSI, SECRET SERVICE AND POLICE ADVISED.
 MATTER BEING FOLLOWED, AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED
 OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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RESJRAD NOVEMBER 25 LAST. b2, b7D

ON DECEMBER 14 INSTANT [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT OFFICIALS OF NPPR HAVE ARRANGED TO TRANSFER SUBJECT LATE DECEMBER 14 OR EARLY DECEMBER 15 FROM PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL TO CALLE JUAN J. JIMENEZ 504, HATO REY, PUERTO RICO. LATTER, ACCORDING TO INFORMANT IS PRIVATE RESIDENCE-CLINIC, PROPERTY OF DR. LUIS DAVILA CINTRON. ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE FOR NPPR BY DR. RICARDO CORDERO, PHYSICIAN OF SUBJECT.

INFORMANT ADVISES THAT NPPR IS NOT PLANNING DEMONSTRATION ON DATE OF TRANSFER OF SUBJECT AND DESIRES TO MAKE TRANSFER WITHOUT PUBLICITY.

INDICES OF SJO CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE INFO REGARDING DAVILA.

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MATTER BEING FOLLOWED AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Post Office Box 4312
San Juan, Puerto Rico - 00905
December 23, 1964

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
SECURITY MATTER - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

REFERENCE: FBI Letter dated January 10, 1964, captioned
as above, at San Juan.

Referenced communication contained subject's residence and/or employment address. A recent change has been determined and is being set forth below (change only specified):

Residence: Calle Juan J. Jimenez #504
Hato Rey, Puerto Rico

Employment:

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Director, FBI (62-7721)

1 - Mr. Pettit

MEASURES TO BE TAKEN
UPON DEATH OF
FERRER ALBERTO CAMPOS

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RC In view of subject's pardon by the Governor of Puerto Rico and his release from custody, it is desired that each office receiving copies of this letter review procedures presently in effect which are to be taken upon the death of Albizu.

Each office should include contacts with informants and their contacts of the government and violent acts on the part of Puerto Rican nationalists upon the death of Albizu. Any recommendations to action to be taken should be made.

2 - San Juan (100-7083 SUB C)

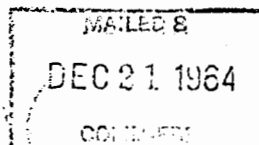
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NOTE:

Subject had been incarcerated by Puerto Rican authorities since 1954. Puerto Rican Nationalists have long threatened violent acts to be committed upon his death which, according to physicians, could come at any time as he is partially paralyzed from a stroke and suffers from a variety of other ailments. We have established certain procedures to be followed in San Juan, New York, Chicago and at the Seat of Government should Albizu die. These procedures include, in addition to notification, surveillance of numerous nationalists, by Puerto Agents, and in some instances local authorities.

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Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (Bufile- 105-11898)

DATE: 2/8/65

FROM : SAC, SAN JUAN (3-1)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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<p>Unemployed due to physical and mental incapacity resulting from ill health.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">105-11898 NOT RECORDED</p>		
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<p>Released from prison as a result of pardon granted by Commonwealth of PR, 11/15/64. Resides at 504 Juan J. Jimenez, Barrio Cunsa, Hato Rey, PR.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">FEB 15 1965 SUBV. CONTROL</p>		

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TO DIRECTOR (105-11898), NEW YORK, CHICAGO, NEW HAVEN,
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PEDRO ALBIZU/CAMPOS, *Internal Sec. 77-
IS-PRN. Puerto Rican Nationalists*

RESJRAD NOVEMBER 2 LAST.

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THIS DATE [REDACTED] ADVISED SUBJECT SINCE SUNDAY FEBRUARY 7
HAS SUFFERED RELAPSE, HAS NOT AWAKENED SINCE AM OF FEBRUARY 7,
AND AT PRESENT BEING FED INTRAVENOUSLY. DR. RICHARDO CORDERO,
FRIEND AND ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OF SUBJECT, ADVISED INFORMANT
THIS DATE SUBJECT SUFFERING FROM BRONCHIAL VIRUS INFECTION
WHICH IS NOT RESPONDING TO TREATMENT. CORDERO ADVISED SUBJECT
INSTANT RELAPSE IS NOT ACCOMPANIED BY THE USUAL CONVULSIONS,
AND HE FEELS SUBJECT MAY RECOVER. *ADU*

ONI, OSI, INTC, SECRET SERVICE AND POPR ADVISED TELEPHONI-
CALLY THIS DATE. BUREAU REQUESTED TO ADVISE SECRET SERVICE,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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WASHINGTON FIELD REFER TO SJRAD FEBRUARY 4 LAST, TO
BUREAU, CHICAGO, NEW YORK, CAPTIONED ROBERTO SANCHEZ VIELLA,
GOVERNOR OF PR, VISIT TO USA, FEBRUARY 1965. WFO REQUESTED
TO CONTACT [REDACTED] GOVERNOR *b7c*
SANCHEZ SECURITY DETAIL, AND ALERT HIM OF CONDITION OF ALBIZU,
PARTICULARLY SINCE HIS DEATH MAY INSPIRE FANATICAL ASSASSINATION
ATTEMPT AGAINST SANCHEZ. *92*

SJ REVIEWING MEASURES TO BE TAKEN BY OFFICE UPON DEATH.

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 INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF CONDITION.

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 2-9-65

Pedro Albizu Campos, the leader of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), the nationalist organization which advocates violence, was pardoned from prison about 2 months ago and has been seriously ill for a number of years. We have previously received information that the NPPR fanatics may upon Campos' death commit acts of violence to avenge his death. The information in attached radiogram has been telephonically furnished 2-9-65 to [REDACTED], Secret Service; [REDACTED] G-2; [REDACTED] Office of Naval Intelligence; and to [REDACTED] Office of Special Investigations, U. S. Air Force.

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1 - Mr. Haack
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Date: February 10, 1965

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To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

ADVISED BY ROUTING

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

SLIP(S) OF

INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

DATE 3-7-78

Reference is made to my letter dated December 18, 1964, concerning the poor physical condition of the captioned individual.

A confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on February 9, 1965, that Albizu Campos suffered a relapse and has not awakened since the morning of February 7, 1965. He is reportedly suffering from a bronchial virus infection which is not responding to treatment. The subject's physician is said to have stated that the subject's relapse is not accompanied by the usual convulsions and that he feels Albizu Campos may recover.

On February 9, 1965, Special Agent Andrew J. Decker of this Bureau telephonically advised the following individuals of the above information: [redacted] U. S. Secret Service; [redacted] Office of Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of the Army; [redacted] Office of Director of Naval Intelligence; and [redacted] Office of Special Investigations, Air Force.

1 - Director

Attention: [redacted]

1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General

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TO DIRECTOR (105-11898), NEW YORK, CHICAGO, NEWARK, NEW HAVEN
 PHILADELPHIA, WASHINGTON FIELD

NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON-ENCODED
 FROM SAN JUAN 111444

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. INTERNAL SECURITY-PRN.

RESAN JUAN RADIOGRAMS FEBRUARY 9 AND 10 LAST.

AT 7:15 AM INSTANT DATE, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT SUBJECT, SINCE MORNING
 OF FEBRUARY 10 LAST, HAS LOST CONTROL OF LEFT ARM. RIGHT ARM
 HAS BEEN PARALYZED SINCE FIRST ATTACK IN 1956. ALTHOUGH SUBJECT
 HAD WAKING MOMENTS DURING PM, HE APPARENTLY RECOGNIZED NO ONE
 AT BEDSIDE AND MADE NO UTTERANCES. INTRAVENOUS FEEDING
 DISCONTINUED MOMENTARILY ON FEBRUARY 10 LAST, INASMUCH AS BODY
 FAILED TO ACCEPT. DOCTOR RICARDO CORDERO HAS SUBMITTED
 APPROPRIATE SPECIMENS TO LABORATORY REGARDING POSSIBLY DETECTION
 OF UREMIC POISONING. CORDERO ADVISED INFORMANT THAT HEARTBEAT
 AND RESPIRATION OF ALBIZU IS WITHIN NORMAL LIMITS FOR INDIVIDUAL
 IN HIS CONDITION, BUT THAT ALBIZU IS SUFFERING FROM MALNUTRITION.

WASHINGTON FIELD REQUESTED TO KEEP [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PUERTO RICO GOVERNORS DETAIL, APPRISED OF ALBIZU'S
 CONDITION.

FOR INFO NEWARK, WHO RECEIVED NO COPY OF REFERENCED

RADS, [REDACTED] ADVISED FEBRUARY 9 LAST, SUBJECT SUFFERED
 RELAPSE ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7 LAST, AND HAD BEEN IN COMA SINCE

2CC: WASHINGTON FIELD
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THAT DATE. ATTENDING PHYSICIAN ADVISED INFORMANT THAT SUBJECT SUFFERS FROM BRONCHIAL VIRUS INFECTION WHICH WAS NOT RESPONDING TO TREATMENTS. SUBJECT RELAPSE NOT ACCOMPANIED BY USUAL CONVULSIONS, AND DOCTOR FELT HE MIGHT RECOVER. ON FEBRUARY 10 LAST, COLONEL SALVADOR T. ROIG (NA), SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE OF PUERTO RICO, ADVISED THAT POLICE OF PUERTO RICO ACTIVELY REVIEWING PLAN OF ACTION TO GO INTO EFFECT UPON DEATH OF ALBIZU. NO INFO RECEIVED BY POLICE OF PUERTO RICO THAT PARTY RANK AND FILE AWARE OF ALBIZU'S SERIOUS CONDITION, AND POLICE HAVE LEARNED OF NO ADVANCE PARTY PLANS FOR ACTION IN EVENT OF ALBIZU'S DEATH. ROIG BELIEVES THE FIRST DAY AFTER ANNOUNCEMENT OF DEATH WILL BE QUIET WITH LITTLE POSSIBILITY OF VIOLENCE AND A DAY OF MOURNING AND DISCUSSION. THIS PERIOD MAY WELL BE FOLLOWED BY THREE DAYS OF SPEECHES, PUBLIC CEREMONIES AND REBEL ROUSING HARANGUES APPEALING FOR ACTION TO AVENGE ALBIZU. A TACTIC OF THE LEADERS MAY BE TO PROVOKE POLICE INTERFERENCE WITH ATTENDANT VIOLENCE. THIS WOULD SERVE THEM WELL IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND FOR WORLD WIDE PROPAGANDA-A RECURRENCE OF THE RECENT UNIVERSITY RIOTS, BUT ON A MORE GENERAL AND SERIOUS SCALE. NEWARK SHOULD NOTE THAT ALBIZU'S CRITICAL CONDITION NOT GENERALLY KNOWN AND THEREFORE CONTACT WITH INFORMANTS AND SOURCES SHOULD BE DISCREET LEST HIS ADHERENTS LEARN OF HIS CONDITION THROUGH US BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF OTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 2/11/65

Pedro Albizu Campos, leader of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico, (PRN) is presently hospitalized in private sanitarium near San Juan, in serious condition, and could die at any time.

Information received in past indicates fanatics may, upon Campos' death, commit acts of violence. In event of death, procedures for intensified coverage and notification of appropriate authorities will be put into effect at Bureau and in New York, San Juan, Chicago, and Newark.

Interested field offices and government agencies have been notified re Campos' condition.

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TO DIRECTOR, WASHINGTON FIELD, CHICAGO, NEW YORK, NEWARK
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NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON--ENCODED

FROM SAN JUAN

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. INTERNAL SECURITY-PRN.

RESJRAD FEBRUARY 11 INSTANT. *b2, b7D*

AT 8:45 PM THIS DATE [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT DR. RICARDO CORDERO
 EXAMINED SUBJECT THIS AFTERNOON AND FOUND SUBJECT SUFFERING
 FROM FEVER OF 104 DEGREES AND VIRUS RESPIRATORY INFECTION.
 LAB TESTS DISCLOSED SUBJECT SUFFERING FROM MODERATE CASE OF
 UREMIC POISON. SUBJECT FED INTRAVENOUSLY AND HAS NOT AWAKENED
 OR UTTERED A SOUND. CORDERO PLANS TO HAVE CHEST X-RAYS MADE
 TOMORROW. CORDERO CONSIDERS THAT CONDITION OF SUBJECT HAS
 NOT IMPROVED BUT HAS DETERIORATED IN AS MUCH AS HIGH FEVER
 DEVELOPED. *b7C*

WASHINGTON FIELD REQUESTED TO KEEP [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] PUERTO RICO GOVERNOR'S DETAIL, APPRISED OF
 ALBIZU'S CONDITION.

MATTER BEING FOLLOWED AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES
 WILL BE ADVISED.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN.

RE SJRAD FEBRUARY 12 LAST.

b2, b7D THIS DATE [REDACTED] ADVISED SUBJECT EXAMINED BY DR. CORDERO
 THIS MORNING AND EXAMINATION REVEALED THAT TEMPERATURE IS
 BACK TO NORMAL, UREMIC POISON AT A MINIMUM AND SUBJECT,
 CONCERNING HIS HEALTH CONDITIONS, HAS RETURNED TO WHAT FOR HIM
 IS NORMAL. DR. CORDERO ADVISED NPPR OFFICIALS THAT SUBJECT
 APPARENTLY OUT OF IMMEDIATE DANGER. U

NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO FURNISH ABOVE TO [REDACTED] b7C
 [REDACTED] (NA), CHIEF OF PR GOVERNORS DETAIL, PRESENTLY IN NY WITH
 GOVERNOR OF PR.

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RESJRADS FEBRUARY 11 LAST.

SOURCES OF SJO ADVISE SUBJECT APPEARS TO BE RALLYING
 SOMEWHAT FROM RECENT ILLNESS. AS OF INSTANT DATE AT TWO PM,
 SUBJECT'S TEMPERATURE HAS ABATED AND HE IS AWAKE AND TAKING
 SOME FOOD. DR. CORDERO ADVISED SOURCES SUBJECT HAS MILD
 CASE OF UREMIC POISONING, A BAD COLD WITH SOME LUNG
 CONGESTION, AND IS PRESENTLY BEING TREATED WITH ANTIBIOTICS
 TO OFFSET POSSIBILITY OF PNEUMONIA. SUBJECT MOVED FOR A
 SHORT TIME TODAY FROM BED TO WHEELCHAIR. HE APPEARS TO
 RECOGNIZE ACQUAINTANCES BUT HIS REACTION IS SLOW DUE TO
 ILLNESS.

OI, POPR, ADVISED.

b7c NEW YORK REQUESTED TO FURNISH ABOVE TO [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] PR GOVERNORS DETAIL, PRESENTLY IN NY
 WITH GOVERNOR OF PR.

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URGENT 2-10-65

TO DIRECTOR, WASHINGTON FIELD, CHICAGO, NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN,
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NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON-ENCODED
 FROM SAN JUAN 102341

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, ~~TS-PRN~~.

INTERNAL SECURITY - NATIONALIST PARTY OF
 PUERTO RICO

ROBERTO SANCHEZ VILELLA-GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO VISIT TO
 USA FEBRUARY 19, 1965.

RE SJRAD FEBRUARY 9 LAST. NATIONAL ACADEMY

COL. SALVADOR ROIG (NA), SUPT OF POPR* ADVISED THAT AS OF
 3 PM THIS DATE PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS CONDITION REMAINS UNCHANGED
 AND PROGNOSIS UNCERTAIN. POPR AND UPPER ECHELONS OF PUERTO
 RICO GOVERNMENT ARE ACTIVELY REVIEWING THEIR PLAN OF ACTION
 TO GO INTO EFFECT UPON DEATH OF ALBIZU.

IN THIS CONNECTION HE ADVISED THAT HE DOES NOT TRUST THE
 PUERTO RICAN PHONE SYSTEM AND REQUEST THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY
 MESSAGE BE DELIVERED TO ROBERTO MORALES, AID TO GOVERNOR WHO
 IS TRAVELING WITH GOVERNOR AND RESPONSIBLE FOR GOVERNORS
 ITINERARY AND RESERVATIONS. WFO CAN CONTACT ROBERTO MORALES
 THROUGH [REDACTED] (NA) WITH WHOM WFO HAS ESTABLISHED
 CONTACT. ROIG WANTS MORALES ADVISED THAT COL. ROIG AFTER
 CONSULTATION WITH ACTING GOVERNOR LASTRA URGENTLY RECOMMENDS
 THAT IN VIEW OF ALBIZU'S CONDITION AND ATTENDING SECURITY
 PROBLEM IT IS COL. ROIG'S CONSIDERED AND URGENT RECOMMENDATION
 THAT GOVERNOR'S RESERVATIONS AT PLAZA HOTEL, NYC BE CANCELLED
 AND THAT GOVERNOR STAY AT WALDORF ASTORIA IN NY IF RESERVATIONS

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THERE ARE OBTAINABLE. COL. ROIG SAYS HE IS FAMILIAR WITH BOTH HOTELS AND WITH PHYSICAL LAY OUT AND SECURITY POLICIES OF BOTH. HIS RECOMMENDATION IS MADE WITH THIS IN MIND AND THE PERSONAL SAFETY OF THE GOVERNOR IN THE LIGHT OF ALBIZU'S CONDITION.

WFO REQUESTED TO HANDLE ABOVE ON URGENT AND PRIORITY BASIS AND CONFIRM TIME MESSAGE DELIVERED.

COL. ROIG IN DISCUSSING SITUATION HERE ADVISES THAT PUERTO RICO GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED TO TAKE NO REPRESSIVE MEASURES WITH REGARD TO MEMORIAL CEREMONIES RELATING TO ALBIZU WITH THESE EXCEPTIONS. THE BODY IS NOT TO BE BROUGHT TO OR SERVICES HELD AT : 1, THE CAPITOL BUILDING, 2, LA FORTALEZA (GOVERNORS MANSION), 3, ANY ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY SCHOOL. ACTING GOVERNOR LASTRA HAS NOT YET REACHED DECISION AS TO UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO BUT IS ROIG'S RECOMMENDATION TO HIM THAT THIS TOO BE BARRED FROM ANY ENTRY.

IF THE INDEPENDENTIST MOVEMENT WISHES TO MOVE THE BODY FROM TOWN TO TOWN OR PLACE TO PLACE TO HARANGUE THE LOYAL (Followers?) THERE WILL BE NO POLICE INTERFERENCE AND PUBLIC APPEARANCE OF HEAVY POLICE ESCORT WILL BE AVOIDED. PLANS ARE IN EFFECT HOWEVER, TO HOLD A BODY OF 400 POLICE IN RESERVE FOR IMMEDIATE COMMITMENT TO ANY TROUBLE SPOT IN METROPOLITAN SAN JUAN, AND SIMILAR RESERVES OF LESSER STRENGTH IN OUTLYING AREAS.

ROIG NOTES THAT POLICE HAVE LEARNED OF NO ADVANCE PARTY PLANS FOR ACTION IN EVENT OF ALBIZU'S DEATH AND APPARENTLY

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PARTY RANK AND FILE UNAWARE NOW OF HIS CONDITION. OUR SOURCES CONFIRM THIS. HE BELIEVES THE FIRST DAY AFTER ANNOUNCEMENT OF DEATH WILL BE QUIET, WITH LITTLE PROBABILITY OF VIOLENCE- A DAY OF MOURNING AND DISCUSSION. THIS PERIOD MAY WELL BE FOLLOWED BY THREE DAYS OF SPEECHES, PUBLIC CEREMONIES AND RABBLE ROUSING HARANGUES APPEALING FOR ACTION TO AVENGE ALBIZU. A TACTIC OF THE LEADERS MAY BE TO PROVOKE POLICE INTERFERENCE WITH ATTENDENT VIOLENCE. THIS WOULD SERVE THEM WELL IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND FOR WORLD WIDE PROPAGANDA- A RECURRANCE OF THE RECENT UNIVERSITY RIOTS BUT ON A MORE GENERAL AND SERIOUS SCALE.

RECIPIENT OFFICES SHOULD NOTE THAT ALBIZU'S CRITICAL CONDITION NOT GENERALLY KNOWN AND THEREFORE CONTACT WITH INFORMANTS AND SOURCES SHOULD BE DISCREET LEST HIS ADHERENTS LEARN OF HIS CONDITION THROUGH US.

NY IS REQUESTED TO CONTACT NYC POLICE DEPARTMENT SPECIAL SERVICES BRANCH AND ADVISE THAT GOVERNOR SANCHEZ PLANS TO RETURN TO PUERTO RICO FROM NY FEBRUARY 18 NEXT VIA ~~EAL~~ *FASTER N* AIR FLIGHT 105 DEPARTING NY ABOUT 4 PM THAT DATE. *LINE*

BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE ADVISED OF FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

RECEIVED: 9:49 PM MLT

Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 2-11-65

Pedro Albizu Campos, leader of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), which advocates violence, was pardoned from prison about 2 MONTHS ago & has been seriously ill for many years. We have previously rec'd info that NPPR fanatics may upon Campos' death commit acts of violence to avenge his death.

Attached teletype reflects concern of Police of Puerto Rico (POPR) & of extensive precautions being taken. We are keeping Secret Service & US military agencies advised of all developments on continuing basis. We are also maintaining close liaison with Governor Roberto Sanchez Vilella & his party who are currently in US. WFO has furnished Governor's party info herein per request of POPR.

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 TO DIRECTOR (105-11898), NEW YORK, AND SAN JUAN
 NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON - ENCODED
 FROM CHICAGO 171618

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS - PRN.

RE SJRAD FEBRUARY 16 LAST.

b7c [REDACTED] PR GOVERNORS
 SECURITY DETAIL WAS ADVISED ON FEBRUARY 16 LAST OF
 SUBJECT'S IMPROVED CONDITION. CHICAGO WILL CONTINUE
 CLOSE LIAISON WITH [REDACTED] GOVERNOR EXPECTED TO
 DEPART CHICAGO DIRECTLY FOR SAN JUAN FEBRUARY 18 NEXT.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN JUAN (3-1) (P*)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
SM - PRN

Re SJ radiogram to Bureau, dated 2/9/65.

Attached hereto are nine copies of LHM dated and captioned as above for the Bureau. An information copy of LHM is enclosed for NY, CG, NH, PH, and WFO in view of continued interest of these offices in instant matter.

Attached LHM is classified "~~CONFIDENTIAL~~" inasmuch as information set forth therein obtained from sources being used on a continuing basis and an indiscreet disclosure of their identities would seriously jeopardize their effectiveness in the future.

SJ T-1 is [REDACTED]
SJ T-2 is [REDACTED]

b2, b7D

Instant case is being placed in pending inactive status. This matter is being followed and the Bureau and interested offices will be advised of developments.

Local dissemination is being made to ONI, 10th ND, OSI, Ramey AFB, 471st INTC Det., and U. S. Secret Service, all San Juan, P. R.

The Police of Puerto Rico have been advised of the contents of this LHM.

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- 1 - New Haven (Enc. 1) (RM)
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- 1 - San Juan

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APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
ADVISED BY ROUTING
SLIP(S) OF [REDACTED]
DATE 3-1-77

Copy to ONI, OSI, ACST, Secret Service
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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
SECURITY MATTER - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

On February 9, 1965, SJ T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that Albizu, since Sunday, February 7, 1965, as a result of a relapse in his condition of health, has not awakened and was being fed intravenously. This informant further advised that Dr. Ricardo Cordero, a friend and attending physician of Albizu, stated that subject was suffering from a bronchial virus infection which was not responding to the usual treatment. Informant further advised that the relapse of Albizu was not accompanied by the usual convulsions, but there are indications that Albizu may recover. This informant further advised that although the NATIONALIST PARTY OF PUERTO RICO (NPPR), of which Albizu is titular head, had not officially planned demonstrations in the event of his death, it is anticipated that certain NPPR members and sympathizers may stage demonstrations which may, in turn, cause Puerto Rican independence groups to stage further demonstrations (S)u

This informant advised on February 11, 1965, that Albizu, since the morning of February 10, 1965, had lost control of his left arm. Informant stated that the right arm of Albizu has been paralyzed since his first attack in 1956. Informant pointed out that intravenous feedings were discontinued on February 10, 1965 inasmuch as the body of Albizu failed to accept such feedings. Dr. Cordero, on February 11, 1965, advised that there are indications that Albizu is suffering from uremic poisoning and congestion of the lungs, and also malnutrition, but that his heart beat and respiration were within the normal limits for a patient in the condition of Albizu. Informant also stated that Albizu was suffering from a fever ranging from 103 to 104 Fahrenheit (S)u

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Re: Pedro Albizu Campos

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On February 15, 1965, SJ T-1 advised that Albizu was again examined by Dr. Cordero on the morning of that date, and the examination disclosed that Albizu's temperature was back to normal, uremic poisoning was at a minimum, and that his health conditions had returned to what for him is normal. Informant further stated that Dr. Cordero has concluded that Albizu apparently is out of danger. (S) 4

On February 16, 1965, SJ T-2, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that Albizu is slowly regaining further control of his left arm, but he is spending several hours a day in an awakened condition, recognizes things, but that as a result of the attack, his complexion is pallid and gives the appearance of being a very sickly man. This informant advised that this is quite noticeable inasmuch as heretofore, although Albizu is partially paralyzed, his facial appearance was not that of a sickly individual. (S) 4

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date April 16, 1965

Pedro Albizu Campos is titular head of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR) who for many months has been hospitalized in critical condition. It is expected that NPPR may resort to demonstrations and acts of violence when he dies.

We are following closely and Secret Service, State, [REDACTED] Department and Military intelligence agencies are being kept advised.

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URGENT 4-15-65

TO DIRECTOR AND NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND WASHINGTON FIELD
NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON - ENCODED
FROM SAN JUAN 160218

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN
IS - PRN. NATIONIST

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b2, b7D [REDACTED] WHO HAS BEEN IN CONTINUAL CONTACT WITH SUBJECT,
ADVISED 5 PM INSTANT THAT PRESENT CONDITION OF SUBJECT IS
CONSIDERED CRITICAL. SINCE LATE TUESDAY, APRIL 13 LAST,
SUBJECT HAS BEEN HAVING INCREASING TROUBLE SWALLOWING,
MOUTH HAS TO BE FORCED OPEN IN ORDER TO FEED HIM, ALSO
SUFFERING FROM FEVER OF 102 DEGREES AND COUGHING FITS. U

DOCTOR CORDERO, ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, ADVISED INFORMANT
CONFIDENTIALLY, AFTERNOON APRIL 14 LAST, THAT SUBJECT'S
PARALYSIS APPARENTLY AFFECTING HIS THROAT MUSCLES CAUSING
DIFFICULTY IN SWALLOWING. DOCTOR STATED IF CONDITION DOES
NOT IMPROVE IT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO FEED SUBJECT INTRAVENOUSLY
AND POSSIBLE PERFORM TRACHEOTOMY OR OPEN SUBJECT'S STOMACH.
HOWEVER, DOCTOR DID NOT CONSIDER CONDITION EXTREMELY
CRITICAL NOR DEATH IMMINENT. DOCTOR MAINTAINING CLOSE

WATCH. [REDACTED] WILL REMAIN IN CONTACT WITH SUBJECT AND
WILL ADVISE OF DEVELOPMENTS. [REDACTED] AND OTHER INFORMANTS
ALERTED. OI, POPR, AND SECRET SERVICE, SAN JUAN ADVISED OF
CONDITION. U

REC-32 105-11898-527

[REDACTED] ADVISED SUBJECT'S DAUGHTER RETURNED TO SAN
JUAN FROM NEW YORK APRIL 13 LAST STATING THAT HER MOTHER
(SUBJECT'S WIFE) ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN PERMISSION FOR VISIT TO
RELAYED TO CHICAGO

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SJ TO SEE SUBJECT AND FURNISH INSTRUCTIONS TO NPPR ~~(S)~~ U

SJ FOLLOWING SUBJECT'S CONDITION CLOSELY. BUREAU
 AND APPROPRIATE OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF SUBJECT'S
 CONDITION.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN.

RESJRAD APRIL 16 LAST. **b2, b7D**

AT ONE PM THIS DATE, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT DR. RICARDO
 CORDERO STATED THAT AS OF 12 NOON THIS DATE, SUBJECT'S
 CONDITION REMAINS UNCHANGED. MATTER BEING FOLLOWED, AND
 BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN
 NATIONALIST.

RESJRAD APRIL 15 LAST AND NYRAD APRIL 15 LAST.

AT 7:10 AM THIS DATE, ETELVINA DAVILA DE RODRIGUEZ,
 SPECIAL NURSE, ADVISED [REDACTED] THAT SUBJECT SPENT RESTFUL
 NIGHT. (S) u

INFORMANT ADVISED THAT DR. RICARDO CORDERO, PERSONAL
 PHYSICIAN OF SUBJECT IS OF THE OPINION THAT SUBJECT IS
 SUFFERING FROM EXTREME NERVOUSNESS WHICH MANIFESTS
 ITSELF IN INTESTINAL DISCOMFORT AND LOCALIZED MUSCULAR
 SPASM IN HANDS, FACE AND THROAT, POSSIBLY A REACTION TO
 ANITBIOTICS. INFORMANT STATED THAT DAVILA ADVISED THIS
 MORNING THAT CONDITION OF SUBJECT SINCE YESTERDAY HAS
 NOT DETERIORATED NOR DOES DEATH APPEAR TO BE IMMINENT. (S) u

[REDACTED] (C) b1
 NYO IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE SJO OF MENESES SCHEDULED

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MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

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DEPARTURE FROM NY AND ARRIVAL IN PR.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN
 NATIONALIST.

RESJRAD, APRIL 16. b2, b7D

AT 2 PM THIS DATE [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT DR. RICARDO
 CORDERO, PERSONAL PHYSICIAN OF SUBJECT ANNOUNCED TO NPPR
 LEADERS AT 12 NOON THIS DATE THAT EXAMINATION OF SUBJECT
 HAS DISCLOSED THAT HIS LUNGS ARE FILLED WITH AN EXCESSIVE
 AMOUNT OF LIQUID AND THAT FACE AND THROAT ARE AFFECTED BY
 ALLERGIC TYPE SWELLING WHICH HAS IMMOBILIZED JAW AND LIPS.
 SUBJECT HAS HAD A SLIGHT FEVER. DR. CORDERO IS CONCERNED
 OVER CONGESTED STATE OF LUNGS WHICH HE BELIEVES MAY RESULT
 IN PNEUMONIA. *u*

DUE TO APPARENT ALLERGY TO ANTIBIOTICS MEDICATION IS
 BEING CHANGED BY DR. CORDERO. PULSE AND HEARTBEAT STILL
 NORMAL FOR CONDITION OF SUBJECT BUT RESPIRATION IS LABORED. *u*

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RENYTEL FOUR FIFTEEN LAST AND SJRAD FOUR SIXTEEN INSTANT.

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b7D [REDACTED] /T SYMBOL/, US MISSION TO UN,
ADVISED APRIL SIXTEEN INSTANT THAT LAURA MENESES DE ALBIZU HAD RE
SERVATION FOR PAN AMERICAN AIRWAYS FLIGHT TWO NINE THREE DEPARTING
NY FOR PR ONE PM FOUR SIXTEEN INSTANT

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~~CAMPOS~~ INTERNAL SECURITY -
PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

SAN JUAN REQUESTED TO ASCERTAIN CONDITION OF SUBJECT AND ADVISE,
PARTICULARLY IF DEATH IMMINENT.

ADVISED INSTANT DATE THAT US GOVERNMENT APPROVED TRAVEL OF LAURA MENESES
TO P.R. FOR ONE MONTH. OFFICIAL AT CUBAN MISSION ADVISED THAT
MENESES- HUSBAND, THE SUBJECT, IS VERY ILL AND QUOTE "SINKING" END QUOTE.
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CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Pettit
1 - Mr. Haack

Date: April 19, 1965

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
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SLIP(S) OF *[Signature]*
DATE 3-7-77

Reference is made to my letter dated April 16, 1965, concerning Albizu's poor physical condition.

On the evening of April 17, 1965, it was determined that Albizu had taken a turn for the worse and was expected to die within twenty-four hours. According to a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, Albizu was suffering from kidney failure and pneumonia. The source stated he knew of no plans for demonstrations or violence on the part of his followers should he die. *[Signature]*

On the morning of April 18, 1965, it was determined that Albizu had rallied and that he appeared to be out of immediate danger, although at that time he was still under an oxygen tent and continued to be in a critical condition. *[Signature]*

You will be immediately advised of additional developments concerning this matter.

1 - Director

Attention: *[Redacted]*

1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

1 - Washington Field *[Redacted]*

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**1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
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Attention: Director of Security

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

**1 - Office of Special Investigations
Air Force**

Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

NOTE:

All recipients of this letter have previously been advised of Albizu's physical condition and of the fact that his followers have promised demonstrations and violence should he die in prison.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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DATE: 4/18/65

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Bland
- 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
- 1 - Mr. Branigan
- 1 - Mr. Pettit
- 1 - Mr. Stokes

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

FROM : W. A. Branigan *WAB*

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PRN

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Albizu Campos is the President of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico. He is the individual who was principally responsible for the shootings during a session of Congress in 1954. He has been on the critical list for some time and when he dies we have a plan to put into operation to guard against possible acts of violence on the part of Albizu's fanatical followers.

At 9:57 p.m. 4/17/65, SAC Estill, San Juan, advised SA J. C. Stokes as follows:

Albizu Campos has taken a turn for the worse and is expected to die within the next 24 hours. According to an informant source pneumonia has set in and he is suffering kidney failure. Leaders of his party are gathering at his home in a death watch. There are no known plans for demonstrations or violence on the part of his followers at time of death. The leaders of his party have expressed concern that his death if it occurs within 24 hours will come at an inopportune time because of the appearance in San Juan on 4/18 of the Ghana Representative to the United Nations (UN) who is also the President of the General Assembly of the UN. That individual is to make a speech in San Juan on the night of 4/18 and the leaders of Albizu's party feel that that occasion will act to dampen the reaction to Albizu's death.

SAC Estill said that San Juan is alert to the situation and is standing by to put into action their planned procedures when death occurs. He will telephone the Bureau at that time. He suggested that New York, Washington Field and possibly Chicago be alerted.

Foregoing was furnished to Messrs J. F. Bland and W. H. Floyd of Domestic Intelligence Division and the following were notified at indicated times on 4/17/65.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

SA M. G. Austin - Washington Field Office 10:23 p.m.
SA Louis Hahn - New York 10:25 p.m. (New York will notify
Newark)

SA C. W. Caughlin - Chicago 10:35 p.m.

[REDACTED] - Secret Service 10:53 p.m.

b7C [REDACTED] - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence 10:58 p.m.

[REDACTED] Office of Naval Intelligence 11 p.m.

[REDACTED] - Office of Special Investigations 11:03 p.m.

ACTION:

For information.

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ADDENDUM: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION: 4/18/65: ^{SSP}~~ACS~~:all

At 9:10 a.m. on April 18, 1965, SAC Estill, San Juan, telephonically advised that subject had rallied as of 3 a.m. and that he appears to be out of immediate danger. He is under an oxygen tent and continues to be in critical condition. As of 8 a.m. this date subject was sleeping peacefully. *24*

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TO DIRECTOR /2/ SAN JUAN CHICAGO AND WASHINGTON FIELD

SAN JUAN AND CHICAGO VIA WASHINGTON - ENCODED

FROM NEW YORK 100-47403 2P

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS., IS - PRN

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RE SAN JUAN RADS OF PREVIOUS WEEKEND AND BUREAU PHONE CALL APRIL
SEVENTEEN LAST.

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ON APRIL NINETEEN, INSTANT, [REDACTED]
SOURCE OF INFORMATION, ADVISED THAT DANIEL FELICIANO AND ROSA COLLAZO
MAKING PLANS TO DEPART NEW YORK CITY FOR PUERTO RICO ON LATE-EVENING
APRIL NINETEEN, INSTANT, TO BE PRESENT IN PUERTO RICO IN EVENT OF SUBJECTS
DEATH.

NEW YORK OFFICE SOURCES FAMILIAR WITH PUERTO RICAN PRO-INDEPENDENCE
ACTIVITY, NYC, RECONTACTED THIS DATE RE POSSIBLE VIOLENCE UPON ALBIZU-S
DEATH. SOURCES KNEW OF NO PLANS IN THIS CONNECTION AND COMMENTED IF
VIOLENCE DOES OCCUR IT WOULD MOST LOGICALLY TAKE PLACE IN PUERTO RICO.

NEW YORK OFFICE AGAIN POINTS OUT SOURCES WERE MERELY SPECULATING AND
HAD NO SPECIFIC INFORMATION IN THIS REGARD.

5 APR 21 1965

IN VIEW OF ABOVE AND COUPLED WITH POSSIBILITY THAT FULL TIME
SURVILLANCES OF NEW YORK OFFICE SUBJECTS COULD PROVOKE RACIAL
DISTURBANCES, NEW YORK OFFICE FEELS THAT FULL TIME SURVEILLANCES
UPON DEATH OF SUBJECT WOULD NOT BE JUDICIOUS.

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NEW YORK REFERS BUREAU TO NEW YORK LETTER DATED APRIL SIXTEEN, LAST, CAPTIONED "MEASURES TO BE TAKEN UPON DEATH OF PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS., IS -PRN", IN WHICH OBSERVATIONS AND ANALYSIS FOR DISCONTINUANCE OF FULL TIME SURVEILLANCES WERE SET FORTH. LETTER POINTED OUT THAT SURVEILLANCES WOULD BE INSTITUTED UPON RECEIPT OF SPECIFIC INFORMATION SO THAT GREATEST AMOUNT OF MANPOWER COULD BE UTILIZED WHERE MOST NEEDED, UACB.

NEW YORK OFFICE IN CONSTANT CONTACT WITH PERTINENT SOURCES WHO HAVE BEEN ALERTED TO SUBJECTS CRITICAL CONDITION. DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS REGARD WILL BE IMMEDIATELY FURNISHED BUREAU AND PERTINENT OFFICES.

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CC-MR. SULLIVAN + *Mr. P. L. L.*

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1 - Mr. Bland
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1 - Mr. Pettit
1 - Mr. Floyd

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TO SAC NEW YORK (100-47403)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (105-11898)

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN.

REURTEL INSTANT.

IN VIEW OF YOUR STATEMENT IN RETEL THAT FULL-TIME
SURVEILLANCES IN NEW YORK COULD PROVOKE RACIAL DISTURBANCES
AND WOULD NOT BE JUDICIOUS, FULL-TIME SURVEILLANCES NEED NOT
BE INSTITUTED BY YOUR OFFICE IMMEDIATELY UPON DEATH OF ALBIZU
IN THE ABSENCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH WOULD DICTATE
AGAINST THIS. HOWEVER, YOU ARE REMINDED OF THE BUREAU'S
DESIRE FOR THOROUGH COVERAGE IN THE EVENT OF THE SUBJECT'S
DEATH. YOU ARE ALSO REMINDED THAT YOUR OFFICE WILL BE HELD
STRICTLY ACCOUNTABLE TO INSURE THAT YOU HAVE SUFFICIENT COVERAGE
TO IMMEDIATELY ALERT YOUR OFFICE CONCERNING INCIDENTS, PLANS
OR OTHER ACTS ON THE PART OF PUERTO RICAN NATIONALISTS UPON THE
DEATH OF PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS. MAKE CERTAIN THAT AGENTS AND

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SUPERVISORS HANDLING THE ABOVE ARE AWARE OF THE BUREAU'S

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
105-11898

INSISTENCE IN LINE WITH THE ABOVE. SHOULD EVENTS OCCUR FOLLOWING
THE SUBJECT'S DEATH WHICH WOULD DEEM IT NECESSARY IN THE LIGHT
OF EXISTING CIRCUMSTANCES TO INSTITUTE FULL-TIME SURVEILLANCES,
THIS SHOULD BE DONE AND THE BUREAU KEPT FULLY ADVISED.

NOTE:

Albizu, the titular head of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), is critically ill and it is possible that he may die at any time in the near future. When he dies, we have a plan to put into operation to guard against possible acts of violence on the part of his fanatical followers. Among other instructions, New York had planned to institute 24-hour physical surveillances on 16 enumerated Security Index subjects who have demonstrated by their words or actions a dedication to Albizu and the cause of independence as gained by violence. New York points out in retel that informants familiar with Puerto Rican proindependence activities in New York City know of no plans for violence in connection with the above and feel that any violence, if it occurs, would be in Puerto Rico. New York points out that office is in constant contact with pertinent sources who have been alerted concerning subject's critical condition and that any pertinent developments will be immediately furnished the Bureau and pertinent offices, and that surveillances will be instituted upon receipt of specific information indicating that such action is desirable in the light of existing circumstances.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, INTERNAL SECURITY-PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST.

RE SAN JUAN RADIOGRAM APRIL 17, LAST.

AT 7 AM THIS DATE [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] ADVISED DR.
 RICARDO CORDERO, AT 4 AM THIS DATE, STATED SUBJECT'S KIDNEYS
 APPARENTLY HAVE DISCONTINUED FUNCTIONING AND CATHETERIZATION
 HAS NOT BEEN EFFECTIVE. SUBJECT'S FEVER AT 4 AM WAS 100 DEGREES,
 HE IS STILL SUFFERING FROM PNEUMONIA, IS UNCONSCIOUS, HAS
 BEEN CONFINED TO OXYGEN TENT SINCE MORNING OF APRIL 17, LAST,
 AND THROAT COMPLETELY OBSTRUCTED DUE TO SWELLING. DR.
 CORDERO IS OF OPINION RECOVERY AT THIS TIME APPEARS HIGHLY
 IMPROBABLE. LAST RITES ADMINISTERED ABOUT 7:30 PM APRIL 18
 LAST. U

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ALREADY MADE BY REPRESENTATIVES OF
 NPPR.

RESIDENCE HAS BEEN SCENE OF GATHERING OF NUMEROUS 1965
 INDEPENDENTISTS AND LEADERS OF ALL PRO-INDEPENDENCE ORGANIZATIONS
 HAVE BEEN IN CONTINUAL ATTENDANCE.

OFFICE OF INTELLIGENCE, POLICE OF PUERTO RICO AND INTELLIGENCE
 AGENCIES HAVE BEEN KEPT ADVISED. MATTER BEING CLOSELY FOLLOWED.
 BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE ADVISED. PENDING.

CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

2 CC: WASHINGTON FIELD; RELAYED TO CHICAGO.

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TO DIRECTOR (105-11898) NEW YORK

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RESJRAD APRIL 19 LAST.

b2, b7D [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT AT 1 PM THIS DATE DR. RICARDO CORDERO ADVISED LAURA MENESES DE ALBIZU THAT LABORATORY TESTS REFLECT SUBJECT CONDITION HAS VASTLY IMPROVED. HE ALSO STATED THAT PNEUMONIA IS UNDER CONTROL, KIDNEYS ARE FUNCTIONING TO A GOOD DEGREE, NO FEVER PRESENT, HEART/EAT NORMAL, AND SUBJECT HAS REGAINED CONSCIOUSNESS. SUBJECT AWAKE, RECOGNIZES PEOPLE AND HAS FULL CONTROL OF MUSCLES OF FACE. SUBJECT CONTINUES TO BE CONFINED TO OXYGEN TENT (BREATHING STILL LABORED) AND FEEDING IS ACCOMPLISHED BY TUBE. u

DR. CORDERO POINTED OUT THAT INSTANT IMPROVEMENT MERELY REMOVES SUBJECT FROM CRITICAL LIST AND RESTORES HIM TO HIS FORMER HIGHLY DELICATE STATE OF HEALTH. CORDERO IS SKEPTICAL RE PRESENT IMPROVEMENT AND DID NOT DESIRE TO COMMENT RE ITS PERMANENCE OR POSSIBLE RELAPSE. u

MATTER BEING CLOSELY FOLLOWED. BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE ADVISED. PENDING.

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Mallins
1 - Mr. Haack
1 - Mr. Pettit
1 - Mr. Floyd

(SC) 105-11898

Date: April 16, 1965

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To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

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DATE 3-17-77

Subject: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST

Reference is made to my letter dated February 10, 1965, concerning the poor physical condition of the captioned individual.

A confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on April 15, 1965, that the present condition of Albizu is critical but not extremely so and that death is not believed imminent. The subject has been recently having increasing difficulty in swallowing. This is reportedly caused by paralysis affecting his throat muscles. (X) u

The source also advised that the subject's wife, Laura Meneses, who has been given diplomatic status by the Cuban Government and who has been active in the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), had attempted to obtain permission for a visit to San Juan to see the subject and to furnish instructions to the NPPR. (X) u

A second source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on April 15, 1965, that the United States Government had approved travel of the subject's wife to Puerto Rico for one month.

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1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
Assistant Attorney General

1 - Director of Naval Intelligence

1 - Office of Special Investigations
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Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

1 - Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence
Department of the Army

Attention: Director of Security

1 - Chief, U. S. Secret Service

NOTE:

b2, b7D
b7C, b7D Albizu is the titular head of the NPPR. Each recipient of this letter has been previously advised concerning subject's activities, his pardon from prison and his physical condition. The first source above is [REDACTED] The second source is [REDACTED] U. S. Mission to the United Nations. San Juan is following subject's condition closely and will keep the Bureau and appropriate offices advised. San Juan has advised Police of Puerto Rico and Secret Service locally of the subject's condition. (X) 4

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RE SJRAD APRIL 20 LAST. b2 b7D

AT 6:40 AM THIS DATE [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT DURING EARLY
 AM THIS DATE DR. RICARDO CORDERO WHILE IN CONFERENCE WITH
 SUBJECT'S FAMILY POINTED OUT THAT SUBJECT SINCE 11 PM APRIL 20
 LAST HAS UNDERGONE A RELAPSE, THAT HIS DIGESTIVE SYSTEM HAS
 BECOME PARTIALLY INACTIVE, AND THAT SUBJECT APPARENTLY HAS
 LOST ^{HIS} DESIRE TO CONTINUE THE STRUGGLE TO LIVE. SUBJECT,
 ALTHOUGH NOT UNCONSCIOUS, SINCE 11 PM APPEARS TO BE IN DEEP
 SLEEP, MAKES NO VISIBLE BODY MOVEMENTS, EYES REMAIN CLOSED,
 IS FED BY TUBE, AND CONFINED TO OXYGEN TENT. FUNCTIONING
 OF KIDNEYS LIMITED, NO FEVER, HEARTBEAT AND BLOOD PRESSURE
 WITHIN NORMAL LIMITS, BUT BREATHING DIFFICULT. CORDERO
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MATTER BEING CLOSELY FOLLOWED. BUREAU AND INTERESTED
 OFFICES WILL BE ADVISED. PENDING.

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Pedro Albizu Campos, Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico titular head, now confined in private hospital in Puerto Rico. His physical condition has been very poor for many months and death can come at any time. His daughter, Laurita, who lives in Peru, has been visiting in Puerto Rico.

Juarbe Juarbe is consort of Albizu's wife, Laura Menses. Juarbe and Menses are allegedly Cuban citizens, presently in NY.

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RE SAN JUAN RAD APRIL SIXTEEN LAST AND SAN JUAN RAD APRIL SIXTEEN
LAST CAPTIONED "LAURA MENESES DE ALBIZU, IS - PRN".

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] MENESSES AND JUAN JUARBE JUARBE RETURNED FROM CUBA APRIL
ONE LAST AND RESUMED RESIDENCY IN APARTMENT FOURTEEN B, THREE THREE
THREE EAST FOUR SIX STREET, NEW YORK CITY. NEW YORK FEELS SECURITY
COULD NOT BE GUARANTEED THIS LOCATION FOR DEVELOPMENT ANONYMOUS SOURCE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 21, 1965

FROM : Mr. A. J. Decker

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS

INTERNAL SECURITY - PUERTO RICAN NATIONALIST
DEATH, APRIL 21, 1965

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SAC Wallace Estill, San Juan Office, telephonically advised me at 8:55 p.m., 4/21/65, that Pedro Albizu Campos, President of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), the organization which has engaged in violence in the past and which advocates violence, died of natural causes in Puerto Rico at 8:35 p.m., Eastern Standard Time. The San Juan Office is advising the military intelligence agencies, U. S. Customs, U. S. Attorney and the U. S. District Judge in San Juan. It is noted that we have had previous information that upon Albizu's death his followers may attempt to commit acts of violence.

I immediately advised SA Robert Lyons, Washington Field Office (WFO); SA Charles Durham, Philadelphia Office; SA Arthur Nehrbass, New York Office; Link Stokes, Newark Office; and Raymond Hogan of the Chicago Office. They were instructed to immediately alert appropriate informants and local police authorities concerning Albizu's death and to keep the Bureau immediately advised of any indications of violence on the part of Albizu's followers in those areas. In addition, New York was instructed to notify Secret Service in New York in view of the fact that the Vice President is presently in New York staying at the Carlyle Hotel. WFO was also instructed to notify the Capitol Police, U. S. Park Police and the Metropolitan Police Department.

I also dispatched an urgent cablegram to our Legal Attaches Rio and Mexico City advising them of Albizu's death and instructing them to alert sources and to keep the Bureau advised of any pertinent developments.

I also telephonically advised [redacted] Secret Service, Protective Research, White House; [redacted] Army War Room; Lieutenant Commander [redacted], Office of Naval Intelligence; [redacted] Office of Special Investigations, U. S. Air Force; and J. Walter Wiegley, Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division

Inspector Wick in Mr. DeLoach's Office telephonically notified William J. Connell, Administrative Assistant to the Vice President and Eugene T. Kinnaly, Administrative Assistant to Speaker of the House of Representatives, John McCormack.

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In addition, I immediately informed you, James F. Bland, Chief, Subversive Control Section; Inspector J. A. Sizoo; and Supervisors Hammond Floyd and Basil Pettit.

No written confirmation of the above oral notification of Albizu's death will be made inasmuch as this will be matter of public record 4/22/65 and our dissemination was to give appropriate individuals immediate notification.

ACTION:

Through our informants and sources we will follow the activities of the NPPR very closely.

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Albizu Campos, Terrorist Chief

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, April 21 (UPI)—Pedro Albizu Campos, the fiery Puerto Rican nationalist leader whose followers tried to assassinate President Truman in 1950, died here tonight. He was 73.

Albizu Campos, once noted for his violent anti-American speeches, had been partially paralyzed and unable to talk since suffering a stroke in 1956 while he was in prison on terrorist charges. He developed pneumonia last Wednesday and this was followed by kidney complications.

Albizu Campos was pardoned from prison last November. Since then he lived in a small home attended by followers and a medical team hired by the Puerto Rican Nationalist Party.

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TO SAC SAN JUAN

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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PR, NATIONALIST DEATH, APRIL
TWENTY-ONE LAST.

REUR TELEPHONE CALL APRIL TWENTY TWO INSTANT. SPECIAL
AGENTS ROBERT L. KUHN AND ANDREW C. GIBSON BEING RELEASED
FOR RETURN TO SAN JUAN TO ARRIVE VIA EASTERN AIRLINES FLIGHT
SIX AT NINE TWENTY-THREE PM SAN JUAN TIME. GRANTED FULL
CREDIT FOR ATTENDANCE AT IN-SERVICE.

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 TO DIRECTOR, NEW YORK, WASHINGTON FIELD AND SAN JUAN
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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS IS-PRN.

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RE BUREAU PHONE CALL APRIL 17 INSTANT.

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b7D [REDACTED] ADVISED APRIL 17 INSTANT THAT CHICAGO NPPR
 JUNTA HAS NO IMMEDIATE PLANS CONCERNING ACTIONS CONTEMPLATED
 UPON DEATH OF ALBIZU CAMPOS OTHER THAN CALLING OF
 EMERGENCY MEETING OF MEMBERS. MANUEL RABAGO TORRES, NPPR
 SUB-DELEGATE IN THE US IS PUSHING IDEA OF SENDING

[REDACTED] AS REPRESENTATIVE TO FUNERAL OF
 ALBIZU. CHICAGO JUNTA WOULD PAY INFORMANTS TRANSPORTATION
 BUT NO OTHER EXPENSES. INFORMANT SENT WOULD HAVE LOSS OF
 WAGES FOR PERIOD OF FUNERAL RIGHTS IN ADDITION TO
 INCIDENTAL EXPENSES. ALTERNATIVE TO SENDING INFORMANT
 WOULD BE TRAVEL BY RABAGO [REDACTED]

b7C [REDACTED] IF CHICAGO INFORMANT
 SENT HE COULD BE EXTREMELY VALUABLE FOR COVERAGE OF EVENTS
 AND PLANS WHILE IN PUERTO RICO. BUREAU AUTHORITY AT THIS
 TIME IS REQUESTED TO PAY INFORMANT, IF SENT, LOSS OF WAGES
 AND INCIDENTALS ARISING OUT OF INFORMANTS TRIP TO PUERTO
 RICO. *DU*

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TO: SAC, CHICAGO (105-1507)

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-11898) **544**

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN.

REURTEL APRIL EIGHTEEN LAST.

BUREAU AGREES IT IS DESIRABLE THAT

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ATTEND FUNERAL OF

ALBIZU. PROCEED WITH THIS IDEA IN MIND. HOWEVER, IMMEDIATELY
FORMULATE ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES ON A DAY-TO-DAY BASIS
FOR THE INFORMANT SELECTED TO GO. ADVISE THE BUREAU OF
EXPECTED DURATION OF TRIP AND TOTAL ESTIMATED COST IN ORDER
THAT THE BUREAU MAY CONSIDER AUTHORIZATION OF THE TRIP PRIOR
TO DEPARTURE OF THE INFORMANT.

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NOTE:

Albizu, the titular head of the Nationalist Party
of Puerto Rico (NPPR), is critically ill and it is possible
that he may die at any time in the near future. When he
dies, we have a plan to put into operation to guard against
possible acts of violence on the part of his radical followers
of Albizu. In retel Chicago points out that Manuel Rabago
Torres, NPPR subdelegate in U.S., is pushing idea of sending
[redacted] as a representative to funeral of Albizu.

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Teletype to Chicago
RE: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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The Chicago Junta would pay informant's transportation but no other expenses. An alternative to sending one of the above would be travel by Rabago. [REDACTED]

b7C [REDACTED]
Chicago requested Bureau authority to pay informant, if sent, loss of wages and incidentals arising out of the informant's trip to Puerto Rico. (S) u

Presence of the Chicago informant in Puerto Rico would be extremely valuable in ascertaining the activities and plans of the NPPR and other proindependence groups in Puerto Rico as well as furnishing possible information of potential acts of violence by individuals and/or groups in Puerto Rico and elsewhere. (S) u

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 22, 1965

FROM : Mr. J. A. Sizoo

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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NATIONALIST DEATH, APRIL 21, 1965

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Memorandum A.J. Decker to W. C. Sullivan 4-21-65 advised of call from SAC Wallace Estill, San Juan Office, reporting the death by natural causes 4-21-65 of Pedro Albizu Campos, President of the Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico (NPPR), the nationalist organization which advocates violence. Extensive dissemination of the news of Albizu's death has been made by us, it being noted previous information indicated that followers of Albizu may attempt acts of violence upon his death.

SAC Estill called again at 6:15 a.m., today and urgently requested that two San Juan Agents, Robert L. Kuhns and Andrew C. Gibson, both attending In-Service, be released at this time for return to San Juan. Kuhns and Gibson are scheduled to complete In-Service friday 4-23-65. SAC Estill pointed out that Agent personnel of San Juan Office had already been extended due to the workload involving numerous surveillances and that the death of Albizu, which is expected to result in numerous demonstrations and possible acts of violence, would put an additional load on his manpower. SAC Estill urged that the two San Juan Agents, attending In-Service be released at this time to alleviate some of his office manpower needs.

SAC Estill pointed out that NPPR and other nationalist leaders have been somewhat slow to react to Albizu's death and seem to be just milling around; however, there was some information indicating that the Federation of University Students, nationalist group at the University of Puerto Rico, might touch off a demonstration at the University of Puerto Rico today. SAC Estill said he would follow this closely and keep Bureau currently advised.

RECOMMENDATION:

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In view of expected demonstrations and acts of violence likely to occur as a result of Albizu's death, San Juan request for early release of two San Juan Agents attending In-Service is justified and it is recommended matter be discussed with and correlated with the Administrative and Training Divisions.

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SAN JUAN, PHILADELPHIA, CHICAGO, NEWARK, AND WASHINGTON FIELD

VIA WASHINGTON - RADIO - ENCODED

FROM NEW YORK 2P

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RE SAN JUAN TEL APRIL TWENTY TWO INSTANT.

ALL SOURCES AND APPROPRIATE AGENCIES ALERTED RE DEATH OF SUBJECT.

AS GESTURE TO SUBJECT, NYC INDEPENDENTISTS, SEEKING SUPPORT
FROM LOCAL SYMPATHETIC GROUPS FOR PICKETING DEMONSTRATION AT U.S.
MISSION TO UNITED NATIONS, NEW YORK CITY, FROM FIVE TO SEVEN PM INSTANT
DATE.

SOURCES HAVE ADVISED THAT

[REDACTED] EXPECTED TO DEPART NYC FOR
PUERTO RICO TO ATTEND FUNERAL. EXACT DEPARTURE UNKNOWN, BUT LIKELY TODAY
OR TOMMORROW.

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SAN JUAN OFFICE REMINDED OF [REDACTED] FIREY NATURE
AND HIS LONG TIME ADVOCACY OF VIOLENCE TO ACHIEVE IMMEDIATE
INDEPENDENCE. END PAGE ONE

MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

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[REDACTED] U. S. MISSION TO
U. N. ADVISES THAT U. S. STATE DEPARTMENT HAS GRANTED
PERMISSION TO [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] TO TRAVEL TO PUERTO RICO. IT WAS EXPECTED
[REDACTED] WOULD HAVE NECESSARY PAPERS PROCESSED THIS DATE.
HE HAS RESERVATION ON PAA, FLIGHT TWO NINE THREE, DEPARTING
NYC FOUR TWENTY THREE NEXT.

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] FORMER GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO, LUIS MUNOZ MARIN, ADVISED
THAT LATTER-S RETURN TO PUERTO RICO WILL BE DELAYED UNTIL AFTER
FUNERAL FOR REASONS OF PERSONAL SAFETY OF MUNOZ.

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ALL SOURCES FAMILIAR WITH INSTANT MATTER ARE IN CONTINUAL
CONTACT WITH NYO RE POSSIBILITY OF VIOLENCE AND TO ADVISE RE
INDEPENDENTISTS EXPECTED TO TRAVEL TO PUERTO RICO.

BUREAU AND PERTINENT OFFICES WILL BE ADVISED RE
DEVELOPMENTS.

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CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 4/22/65

Pedro Albizu Campos, Titular Head of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico died in Puerto Rico last night after having been bed-ridden for many years. Funeral scheduled Sunday, 4/25. Puerto Rican independence advocates have long threatened violence upon his death.

Special provisions for maintaining close touch with any plans for violence now in effect. San Juan, New York and Washington Field.

State and Secret Service being advised of plans to picket the United Nations.

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RE CHICAGO TEL APRIL 22, INSTANT.

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ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] WILL DEPART FOR SAN
 JUAN VIA EASTERN AIRLINE FLIGHT 119 AT 12:45 AM, CST,
 APRIL 23, ARRIVING SAN JUAN 7 AM. [REDACTED] ADAMANT IN HIS
 INTENTIONS TO PROCEED SAN JUAN FOR FUNERAL OF SUBJECT.
 NO VIOLENT ACTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH TRIP PROPOSED AS
 YET BY [REDACTED] SAN JUAN AWARE [REDACTED] HEAVY DRINKER,
 VIOLENT TEMPER AND CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.
 CHICAGO INFORMANTS WILL BE IN CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] PRIOR TO
 HIS DEPARTURE AND CHICAGO WILL IMMEDIATELY FURNISH ANY
 ADDITIONAL PERTINENT DATA DEVELOPED (U)

CHICAGO CONTINUING FURTHER INVESTIGATION, INCLUDING
 CONTACTS WITH INFORMANTS TO ASCERTAIN IDENTITIES OF ANY
 OTHER INDIVIDUALS WHO MAY TRAVEL TO SAN JUAN IN CONNECTION
 WITH INSTANT MATTER.

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PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN.

RE CHICAGO TEL APRIL 22 LAST.

b7C [REDACTED] DEPARTED CHICAGO, WITH WIFE,
 AS SCHEDULED. WIFE [REDACTED] NOT KNOWN TO BE
 INVOLVED IN INDEPENDENCE ACTIVITIES AND OPPOSES [REDACTED]
 ACTIVITIES FOR NPPR (S) U

b2, b7D [REDACTED] ADVISED [REDACTED] AND WIFE NOT KNOWN CARRYING
 ANY WEAPONS OR PAPERS. [REDACTED] AND WIFE HAVE TAKEN ONE
 WEEK VACATION FROM WORK BECAUSE OF ALLEGED DEATH IN PUERTO
 b7C RICO OF RELATIVE (S) U

INFORMANT TOLD BY [REDACTED] THAT NO VIOLENCE OR DEMONSTRATIONS
 PLANNED AS YET IN CHICAGO OR PUERTO RICO TO HIS KNOWLEDGE.
 IN SPITE OF ABOVE, [REDACTED] SHOULD STILL BE CONSIDERED ARMED
 AND DANGEROUS (S) U

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TO DIRECTOR, NEW YORK AND SAN JUAN
 NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON-ENCODED
 FROM NEWARK 231435

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS; IS-PRN.

RE SAN JUAN TELETYPE APRIL 22, LAST.

NEWARK INFORMANTS AND SOURCES ALERTED RE DEATH OF
 SUBJECT. NO ORGANIZED PR INDEPENDENTISTS GROUPS IN NJ.
 NO INDICATION OF ANY PICKETS, DEMONSTRATIONS OR VIOLENCE
 IN NEWARK DIVISION AT THIS TIME. BUREAU AND SAN JUAN
 WILL BE ADVISED OF ANY DEVELOPMENTS.

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10:12 AM CST URGENT 4-22-65 JLS
 TO DIRECTOR AND NEW YORK AND SAN JUAN
 NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON - ENCODED
 FROM CHICAGO 221500

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS - PRN.

RE SAN JUAN TEL TO BUREAU APRIL 22 INSTANT.

[REDACTED] HAS STARTED ORGANIZING CG JUNTA MEMBERS FOR COLLECTION OF FUNDS TO FINANCE TRIP OF [REDACTED] TO PUERTO RICO FOR FUNERAL OF SUBJECT. [REDACTED] INDICATED SPECIFICALLY HE WANTS TO ATTEND. NO REPORTED PLANNED VIOLENCE. [REDACTED] IN CONSTANT CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] CHICAGO MAINTAINING VERY CLOSE CONTACT WITH ALL INFORMANTS AND WILL IMMEDIATELY ADVISE BUREAU SAN JUAN AND INTERESTED OFFICES OF ANY PLANS OF CONTEMPLATED TRAVEL. (S) U

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11:08 PM EST 4-22-65 URGENT HWM
 TO DIRECTOR, WASHINGTON FIELD, NEW YORK, CHICAGO, NEWARK
 AND SAN JUAN

NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON-ENCODED
 FROM PHILADELPHIA 230420

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS; IS-PRN.

RE SAN JUAN TEL APRIL 22 INSTANT, AND BU TEL CALL
 APRIL 21 INSTANT.

ALL INFORMANTS, SOURCES, POLICE OFFICERS, AND OTHER
 APPROPRIATE AGENCIES ALERTED REGARDING DEATH OF SUBJECT.
 NO ORGANIZED PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDENTIST GROUPS, PHILADELPHIA,
 AND NO INDICATION OF ANY PICKET DEMONSTRATIONS OR OTHER
 ACTIVITIES PHILADELPHIA. EMPLOYMENT SOURCES WILL ADVISE
 PHILADELPHIA IF ANY KNOWN MEMBERS NPPR FAIL TO SHOW UP FOR
 WORK OR INDICATE INTENTION TO TRAVEL TO PUERTO RICO.

BUREAU AND PERTINENT OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED RE
 ANY DEVELOPMENTS.

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Subject JUNE MAIL Pedro A. Daza Campos

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-11898)

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (105-5732) (P)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, aka.
IS - PRN

00: SAN JUAN

DATE: 4/27/65

Re New Haven letter 2/24/65.

Contact with established sources at Bridgeport, Connecticut being maintained. Sources report no adverse activities at Bridgeport since subject died April 22, 1965.

Contact will be maintained and any pertinent information developed will be furnished Bureau and San Juan.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-11898)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (105-1507)

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS
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ReButel 4/19/65.

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b7D [redacted] advised 4/20/65 instant that
Chicago NPPR continues to have no plans for action at
time of subject's death other than calling of emergency
meeting of members.

[redacted] Informant advised that loss of wages for
[redacted] would be \$23.20 daily and for [redacted]
\$51.00 daily. Estimated hotel, travel and living expenses
in Puerto Rico estimated at \$35.00 daily. Duration of
trip could vary from 3 days which would cover only to
day of burial, up to 12 days which would in addition
cover 9 days of customary mourning following death.
Informant is of opinion that any actions taken by NPPR
would be during mourning period. M

All Chicago informants maintaining close
liaison with NPPR leadership and members. Any plans
or actions will be promptly brought to attention of
Chicago and Chicago will make appropriate prompt dissemina-
tion to Bureau and interested offices.

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- 3 - Bureau (AMSD)
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1 - [redacted] b2, b7D
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TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 4-21-65

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU COMPOS
NATIONALIST PARTY OF PUERTO RICO (NPPR)

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[REDACTED] Santiago Polanco-
Abreu, Delegate to Congress from Puerto Rico, telephonically contacted your (Mr. DeLoach's) office and requested to have an Agent stop by his office. SA David W. Bowers contacted him on 4-21-65.

b7c
b7D [REDACTED] that Abreu had just returned from Puerto Rico and had learned some "disturbing" information while there. He said Colonel Salvador Roig, Superintendent of Puerto Rican Police, had told Abreu on 4-20-65 that there is a possibility of some type of simultaneous activity on the part of NPPR followers in New York City, Washington, D. C., and Puerto Rico on the occasion of subject's death. Compos is in a coma and death is considered imminent. [REDACTED] his office has alerted Capital Police, Metropolitan Police Department and Secret Service.

He stated Colonel Roig had told Abreu that he, Abreu, is about number two on the NPPR assassination list. For this reason, he requested that we alert Abreu or personnel in his office concerning any pertinent developments in this regard and particularly advise them should we learn of Compos' death prior to its becoming publicly known. He then stated that they had, of course, made arrangements to be telephoned from Puerto Rico at the time of Compos' death.

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[REDACTED] was advised that we, of course, cannot provide protection but that we would notify them concerning any pertinent information we receive asking Mr. Abreu's safety.

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[REDACTED] that Abreu had learned from "official sources" in Puerto Rico that the Federation of University Students for Independence, a group which he understood to be communist infiltrated, might attempt to cause some disturbance at the time of Compos' death and place the blame on nationalist forces.

Special Agent Supervisor Ivan D. Haack of the Domestic Intelligence Division was telephonically advised of the foregoing information which he stated already was known to them.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
 - 1 - Mr. Belmont
 - 1 - Mr. Sullivan
 - 1 - Mr. Bland -- Attention: Mr. Pettit
- DWB:sas (7)

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M. A. Jones to DeLoach memo
RE: PEDRO ALBIZU COMPOS

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to the Domestic Intelligence Division for any action deemed appropriate and that that Division keep your (Mr. DeLoach's) office promptly advised of any information which might be pertinent to the safety of Mr. Abreu so that he can be alerted.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI, AND SACS, CHICAGO
NEW YORK
SAN JUAN (VIA RADIO)

FROM: SAC, WFO

SUBJECT: PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS - PRN

RETELEPHONE CALL OF MR. ANDREW DECKER, BUREAU, APRIL TWENTYONE LAST, ADVISING SUBJECT'S DEATH.

LOCAL POLICE, SECRET SERVICE AND INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES NOTIFIED. SOURCES WHO ARE FAMILIAR WITH CERTAIN PUERTO RICAN MATTERS IN WASHINGTON, D.C., ALERTED REGARDING SUBJECT'S DEATH. ADVISED THEY COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION REGARDING NPPR OR POSSIBLE VIOLENCE THAT COULD BE PLANNED IN CONNECTION WITH SUBJECT'S DEATH.

ALL OFFICES REQUESTED IMMEDIATELY ADVISE WFO OF ANY
POSSIBLE VIOLENCE OR OTHER ACTIVITY IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

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 URGENT 4-22-65
 TO DIRECTOR (105-11898)
 INFO NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, CHICAGO, NEWARK, AND WASHINGTON FIELD
 NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON--ENCODED
 FROM SAN JUAN 220456

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, IS-PRN.

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RE SAN JUAN PHONE CALL TO BUREAU 9:45 PM SAN JUAN TIME
 APRIL 21 INSTANT ADVISING THAT SUBJECT DIED APPROXIMATELY 9:35 PM SAN JUAN TIME INFORMATION OBTAINED THROUGH [REDACTED] b2, b7D

SAN JUAN IMMEDIATELY ALERTED POLICE, ONI, INTC, OSI, SECRET SERVICE, GOVERNORS SECURITY DETAIL.

SUBJECT'S DEATH ANNOUNCED ON LOCAL RADIO AT ABOUT 10 PM SAN JUAN TIME AND BY 11 PM A CROWD ESTIMATED AT OVER A THOUSAND HAD JAMMED THE TWO BLOCK AREA AROUND SUBJECT'S RESIDENCE. BODY WAS REMOVED TO JENSEN FUNERAL HOME AT APPROXIMATELY 11 PM WITH SOME PEOPLE DEPARTING AREA AT THAT TIME. AS OF MID-NIGHT NO GREAT ACTIVITY IN VICINITY OF FUNERAL HOME. AND CROWD AT RESIDENCE HAD DISPERSED EXCEPT FOR ABOUT 150 WAITING TO PASS THROUGH THE HOUSE TO PAY RESPECTS. b2, b7D

TENTATIVE PLANS AS REPORTED BY [REDACTED] ARE THAT BODY WILL BE ON DISPLAY FOR THREE DAYS AT THE LAWYERS COLLEGE (COLEGIO DE ABOGADOS) THEIR FACILITY HAVING BEEN OFFERED BY PRESIDENT OF BAR ASSOCIATION, AND AT THE ATENIO THEATER IN SAN JUAN. BURIAL WILL BE SUNDAY. u REC 8 105-11898-538

IT WAS ALSO ANNOUNCED BODY COULD BE VIEWED APR 28 1965 APRIL 22 AT JENSEN FUNERAL HOME.

POPR OFFICIALS EXPECT NO DIFFICULTIES TONIGHT BUT HAVE

MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

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ALERTED ENTIRE FORCE INCLUDING RESERVE THROUGHOUT ISLAND.
 POPR HAS RECEIVED WORD FEDERATION OF UNIVERSITY STUDENTS FOR
 INDEPENDENCE ON APRIL 22 WILL ATTEMPT TO DISRUPT CLASSES AT
 UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO AND LOWER FLAG. POPR OFFICIALS FEAR
 VIOLENCE MAY ERUPT AT UNIVERSITY.

BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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INTERNAL SECURITY. PUERTO RICO NATIONAL

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RESURAD APRIL 22 LAST.

DURING NIGHT OF APRIL 22 AND INSTANT, SUBJECT'S BODY
 REMOVED TO JENSEN FUNERAL HOME, SANTURCE, WHERE CROWD
 OF SEVERAL HUNDRED ONLOOKERS GRADUALLY DIMINISHED TO ABOUT
 TWO DOZEN WHO REMAINED THROUGH NIGHT. ANOTHER TWO DOZEN
 MAINTAINED WATCH AT SUBJECT'S RESIDENCE.

FUNERAL PLANS FOR SUBJECT AS LEARNED FROM [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] SHOW THAT OFFER OF P R BAR ASSOCIATION TO
 ALLOW SUBJECT TO LIE IN STATE THERE REFUSED BY SUBJECT'S
 WIFE ON BASIS THAT BAR ASSOCIATION OUSTED SUBJECT MANY YEARS
 AGO. U

BODY WILL LIE IN STATE AT JENSEN FUNERAL HOME UNTIL
 APRIL 24 NEXT WHEN IT WILL LIE IN STATE AT ATENEO, A MEETING
 HALL IN OLD SAN JUAN OPERATED BY LIBERAL INTELLECTUAL GROUPS.
 DURING LYING IN STATE PERIOD, SUBJECT WILL HAVE HONOR GUARD
 COMPOSED OF ADHERENTS WEARING OUTLAWED NATIONALIST PARTY
 UNIFORMS CONSISTING OF WHITE DUCK TROUSERS WITH BLACK SHIRTS
 AND CAPS. U

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ON SUNDAY, APRIL 25 NEXT, AT 2 PM, BODY WILL BE CARRIED IN PROCESSION FROM ATENEO TO HIS BURIAL PLOT IN SJ MUNICIPAL CEMETERY. CEMETERY IS LOCATED UNDER THE WALLS OF EL MORRO FORTRESS AND FORT BROOKE, WHICH IS US ARMY ANTILLES COMMAND HEADQUARTERS.

POLICE AND LIVE SOURCES CONTINUE TO ANTICIPATE OUTBREAK OF VIOLENCE AT UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO TO DATE WITH SYMPATHIZING STUDENTS TRYING TO BRING ABOUT SHUTDOWN OF UNIVERSITY. INDEPENDENTISTA STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEMPT TO PROVOKE POLICE AND CREATE SERIES OF INCIDENTS IN WHICH THEY MAY CLAIM POLICE BRUTALITY. IT IS ALSO EXPECTED AN ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO TEAR DOWN US FLAG ON UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO FLAGSTAFF.

A LARGE NUMBER OF MESSAGES HAVE BEEN DISPATCHED TO SUBJECT SYMPATHIZERS IN UNITED STATES AND LATIN AMERICA AND CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF MOURNERS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND OBSEQUIES. RECIPIENT OFFICES ARE REQUESTED TO ADVISE SJ BY MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF ANY SUBJECTS COMING TO PUERTO RICO SO THAT POLICE MAY BE ADVISED.

SJ IS MAINTAINING CONTINUOUS PHYSICAL SURVEILLANCES ON KEY INDEPENDENTISTA LEADERS.

ALL MILITARY AGENCIES ARE BEING CONTINUOUSLY APPRISED OF DEVELOPMENTS AND CONSTANT LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED WITH POLICE OF PUERTO RICO.

BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 4/22/65

Pedro Albizu Campos, Titular Head of Nationalist Party of Puerto Rico died in Puerto Rico last night after having been bed-ridden for many years. Funeral scheduled Sunday, 4/25. Puerto Rican independence advocates have long threatened violence upon his death.

Special provisions for maintaining close touch with any plans for violence now in effect San Juan, New York and Washington Field.

State and Secret Service being advised of plans to picket the United Nations.

BGLP;hmm

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